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SENATE HAS CURE FOR MONEY ILLS.

Finance Committee's New Bill for Emergency Currency Probably Will Be Introduced Today.

PURPOSE IS ELASTICITY.

Plan Provides for Increase of $250,000,000, Taxed 6 Per Cent So as to Make It Emergency Issue Only.

BY RAYMOND.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The new currency bill has been prepared by the senate leaders and is ready for submission, probably tomorrow. In brief, it provides for an emergency circulation of approximately a quarter of a billion dollars, taxed at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, based on approved savings bank securities, with a government board, composed of the secretary of the treasury, controller of the currency, and treasurer of the United States, to determine the necessity for such circulation, the mode of its distribution, and the sufficiency of securities behind it.

No general scheme of asset circulation, nor any other radical change in the present monetary system, will be given any serious consideration at this session of congress.

It will be seen from this outline that the proposition for a currency bill has been held strictly within the lines of an emergency system. The fundamental idea of the whole scheme is to make the tax so high that it will be absolutely impossible for banks to make use of this kind of circulation at any time except when the demand for money reaches extraordinary proportions.

President Approves Plan.

The president is entirely in harmony with Senators Aldrich and Allison, who have had most to do with the drafting of the currency bill, and they have all insisted the emergency feature should be kept to the front, and that no fads or experiments with our present banking system should be permitted to pass the senate under any consideration.

The new bill has been shown to all the senators on both sides of the chamber, and is generally approved so far as its main principles go. Quite a number of democrats want to graft on to the bill a scheme for the insurance of deposits, which has been before Congress for a generation or so, and which has been revived by Mr. Bryan, who has a faculty for serving out warmed over financial theories.

The one great aim of those who have the currency proposition in charge has been to avoid any disturbance of existing conditions. Many bankers who failed to understand the real reasons behind the panicky conditions last October thought the time was ripe for the passage of a bill permitting the issue of credit notes secured only by uncovered assets of banks, largely along the lines of the Fowler bill proposed in the last congress at the instance of the American Bankers' association.

Will Provide Elasticity.

It is an open secret now that that bill would have been vetoed by President Roosevelt if it ever had reached him, because he, in common with the more conservative men in congress, believed that the rate of taxation it proposed on credit notes was so small in the first instance that the large percentage of them would be kept out all the time, the result being merely an undesirable inflation of the currency, although the theory of the asset note is to provide for an elastic circulation to meet the wants of different sections at different times.

It is believed that the measure which is about to be presented to the senate, while it will not disturb the existing currency in the least, will provide an elastic circulation which will be really elastic. In times of stress banks in the interior which need money for moving crops can secure it from the general government without fuss and without publicity, so that there will be no impairment of their local credit.

The rate of 6 per cent is on an annual basis. The interest or tax charge will run only so long as the currency is outstanding. The result is that the necessity for retirement will be as irresistible as that for the original issue. There will be a constant ebb and flow.

Expected to Act Automatically.

It probably will happen frequently that when the west is taking out new circulation the east will be retiring it, and vice versa. When the money is not needed for crops it may be desired for dividends. The wholesale trade wants its money at one time, and the exporters at another. Even the development of early fruits and vegetables can be traced through the banking reports. It naturally follows, therefore, that the section which needs money most will call for it first, and the rate of interest is so high as to be prohibitory of this kind of circulation after the actual necessity has passed away.

This comes as near to genuine elasticity as anything which can be devised in connection with our present system. The new notes, of course, will be substantially the same as those now issued by national banks. It may be necessary to alter the plates for existing notes so that the difference between the two kinds of currency will not be marked. Both will be secured by bonds, deposited in the treasury of the United States.

The only difference will be that in one case the security will be obligations of the United States itself, and in the other case bonds and other securities which are always good for cash in banking circles and which are recognized as such. The new law probably will provide that such securities may be deposited in the treasury and that immediately thereafter the banks shall receive emergency notes equal to 75 per cent at least of the bonds so deposited.

Government as Clearing House.

The government merely acts as a financial agent or clearing house. It does guarantee the notes, as a matter of course. If they had behind them only the guarantee of the associated banks they probably would circulate only at a discount as compared with the old type of national bank notes. The government is amply secured, because, in the first place, it has a margin of safety as between the amount of circulation and the par value of bonds deposited. Secondly, there will be a large guarantee fund ultimately created by the proceeds of the 6 per cent tax. Between the two the government is certain to be reimbursed for any losses it may suffer through sudden depreciation of securities

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1908.

THE WEATHER.—FORECAST—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, slightly cooler Tuesday, fresh westerly winds, becoming variable.

Sunrise, 7:18.
Sunset, 4:37.
Moonset, 9:22 p. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 44, min. 28, mean 36, normal for the day 24. Excess since Jan. 1, 48.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Deficiency since Jan. 1, .36 inch.
Wind, S. W., max. 26 miles an hour, at 9:15 a. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 89%, 7 p. m. 69%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 30.00, 7 p. m. 29.92.

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WASHINGTON.

Senate committee's bill for currency reform may be introduced today; provides for increase of $750,000,000 under 6 per cent tax, to make it available in emergencies only. Page 1.

President Roosevelt likely to take steps to secure thorough reorganization of navy department. Page 4.

Railroad chiefs said by interstate commerce commission to be obeying new railroad law. Page 6.

United States Supreme court handed down decision holding employes' liability law as unconstitutional. Page 6.

Secretary Taft urged increased pay and lighter routine duties as best way to gain recruits to army. Page 6.

LOCAL.

Mayor Busse authorized by council to appoint a commission to consider matter of making lake front harbor extending from Twelfth to Jackson park. Page 1.

State's attorney began quo warranto proceedings to forfeit charter of company operating Great Northern hotel, because of drinks sold on Sunday. Page 1.

James Hamilton Lewis told law students that women have no regard for oath and will perjure themselves to suit case. Page 1.

Thirty-three schoolrooms lacked teachers when term began yesterday; supply of substitues also exhausted. Page 1.

Marvin Hughitt donated use of building at 59-61 Canal street to THE TRIBUNE's plan of sheltering unemployed men. Page 2.

Thomas J. Sutherland, former corporation counsel, asked council to employ him to recover money he says was "embezzled" from city in 1898. Page 2.

Police, judges, and aldermen made vigorous efforts to check crime. Page 2.

"Living music" entertainment filled Orchestra hall. Page 3.

Alleged forgers in cells; one tried to be "good fellow," another wanted money for wedding. Page 3.

Young man at inquest over dead mother expressed contempt for her and treated her death as a joke. Page 5.

Joseph I. McFall, 72 years old, cut to pieces by train in sight of son. Page 5.

Presbytery granted the Rev. Robert J. Young's request to be relieved of Buena Park charge. Page 9.

Wedding of Miss Mamie Heisen and Blanchard Forbes of Richmond, Va., will take place tonight. Page 9.

Supreme court mandate in case of John A. Cooke still failed to arrive. Page 9.

Friends of John R. Walsh praise reputation as banker; case may go to jury this week. Page 18.

DOMESTIC.

Nine talesmen passed initial test for service on Thaw jury; peremptory challenges reserved for present. Page 1.

Investigation into burning of boy in asylum at Lincoln failed to place blame on any one. Page 4.

Pennsylvania Supreme court ended Hartje's hopes for divorce with two words, "Appeal dismissed." Page 4.

FOREIGN.

Vessel resembling missing steamer Mount Royal reported to have been seen off Fastnet. Page 5.

C. Arthur Pearson became head of London Times. Page 5.

POLITICAL.

Judge McEwen's friends announced his intention to invade Town of Lake, in which Gov. Denen lives. Page 4.

Senator Foraker began plans to carry Ohio political fight into courts, testing validity of primaries. Page 4.

NEW YORK.

Distant relative of Earl Grey committed suicide. Page 5.

Ordinance introduced to prevent women smoking in cafés. Page 5.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

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SPORTING.

National commission at annual meeting denied request of American association to place club in Chicago; Herrmann reelected chairman. Page 10.

Plunger John J. Ryan likely to leave New Orleans tonight. Page 10.

George Dixon, one of most noted pugilists of time, died in New York. Page 10.

Steve Geroux captured third place in singles of bowling tournament. Page 10.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Arrived.	Port.
CALEDONIA	Glasgow.
MASSILIA	Marseilles.
MONGOLIAN	Halifax.
MONMOUTH	St. Johns
POTSDAM	Rotterdam.
PRES. GRANT	Plymouth.
ROMA	Marseilles.
SICONIA	Barcelona.
VADERLAND	New York.
Sailed.	**Port.**
ANTILOCHUS	Liverpool.
CALIFORNIAN	Liverpool.
CARMANIA	Queenstown.
DIX	Seattle.
KOLN	Bremen.
MONTSERRAT	Cadiz.
NUMIDIAN	Glasgow.
REPUBLIC	Naples.
RYNDAM	Boulogne.
SHERMAN	San Francisco
SICILIAN	Halifax.
ST. LAURENT	New York.
ST. PAUL	Cherbourg.

WIRELESS REPORTS.

FURNESSIA ..Off Sandy Hook..Due Tues. a. m.
OCEANIC .....Off Cape Race...Due Wed. p. m.

BIG LAKE HARBOR URGED BY MAYOR.

Would Utilize Water Front of the City from Twelfth Street South to Jackson Park.

JOLT TO BEAUTY PLANS.

Council Authorizes Appointment of Commission to Take the Project Under Consideration.

Mayor Busse submitted to the city council last night in outline a scheme for the building of a lake harbor from Twelfth street to Fifty-sixth street, and secured consent for the appointment of a commission to work it out in detail.

Anticipating action by the council the mayor has sent a letter to Secretary of War Taft asking that consent to the filling in of the south lake front be withheld until the city can determine whether it should be used for commercial or park purposes.

Copies of this letter, together with a map showing the present and proposed parks, the river docks, and the projected lake harbor, were submitted to the council with the mayor's communication asking for authority to act.

John M. Ewen will be one of the five members of the commission which the mayor is authorized to appoint, and the others will be named shortly.

Seeks to Save Lake Commerce.

By taking this step the city authorities have lined themselves up in opposition to the park boards, particularly the south park board, and have opened up a contest between the commercial interests and the "city beautifiers." The latter promise trouble for the mayor's scheme and have the advantage of being in possession of the necessary legislation authorizing the creation of a lake park on the south shore.

The city authorities have the sympathy of the federal government, it is said, and are in position to block the park schemes until the harbor plan has been considered thoroughly. They are supported by the lake shipping interests and, in a measure, by the railroads wanting additional terminal facilities, and by business men generally who have been endeavoring to remove the causes of the decline in Chicago lake traffic.

Mayor Busse, in his communication to the council and in his letter to Secretary Taft, called attention to the fact that the city now ranks fourth in lake commerce where once it ranked first and that its losses increase year by year.

Opposes Extensive Lake Park.

He asked Mr. Taft to give him a hearing before any consent is given the south park commissioners for the filling in of the lake front for park purposes, saying that the Lake Carriers' association is strongly of his opinion that Chicago cannot afford to devote its entire lake frontage to park purposes.

"Its future growth, both artistic and practical," the mayor wrote, "depends upon its commerce, and I feel that its growth and prosperity will be checked largely forever by the proposed plan of the Commercial club and the park commissioners in respect to the lake front from Twelfth street to Jackson park."

The city authorities were under the impression that the south park board, which is authorized by the legislature to acquire

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FAMINE OF SCHOOL TEACHERS

Term Opens with Thirty-three Rooms Lacking Instructors.

TOO FEW SUBSTITUTES ALSO.

Chicago Board of Education Is Facing a Serious Problem.

Scarcity of teachers, which is crippling public school work in the larger cities throughout the country, made itself felt in Chicago yesterday in unexpected fashion.

In no less than thirty-three rooms at elementary schools in various parts of the city the pupils, when they came together for the opening of the second term, found the teacher's desk unoccupied. After explaining the situation and telling the children to return as usual this morning, the principal of the school in each case dismissed the pupils in the "disabled" room.

One hundred and fifty substitute teachers had been assigned to regular work in charge of schoolrooms, but this exhausted the available list, and when reports of still more vacancies came pouring in at the board rooms the school authorities decided there was nothing for it to do but send the children home. Most of the rooms, it is expected, will be opened this morning.

Many of the vacancies were caused by teachers who failed to return promptly after the holiday vacation, and these probably will report for duty today. In other cases, however, the absences are caused by sickness—unusually prevalent just now—and here substitutes must be provided.

Need of Teachers Imperative.

"We simply are up against it," said one school official. "We must have more teachers, and we must have them right away."

Already one special examination of candidates for teaching positions has been held since the opening of the school year, in addition to the regular tests, but the list of successful candidates has not been long enough to meet the demand.

Nearly 2,600 pupils were enrolled during the day at the two new school buildings which were opened for the first time—the Jahn and the Kosciusko school. It took less than an hour to prove that crowded conditions will prevail there as much as at the older buildings.

At the apprentice school in the Graham building an attendance of seventy-five was reported. It is expected this will be increased during the week. No report was received from the McKinley High school, where the other apprentice school was opened.

The finance committee of the school board is preparing to consider the annual budget for 1908. In preparation for this, President Schneider wrote to the various heads of departments, asking them to send in their recommendations.

Physical Instructors Wanted.

The president urged Supt. Cooley to recommend the appointment of from 12 to 15 additional instructors in physical culture. The need of additional instructors in this department, he said, is urgent. There are now 22 instructors on the pay roll, 13 in high schools, and 9 in elementary schools. The maximum salary for those in the high schools is $1,600; in elementary schools, $1,400.

President Schneider is supported in this recommendation by Trustee O. F. Greifenhagen, who has been investigating physical culture instruction in the schools, and has reported a dearth of instructors.

John J. Healy, assistant engineer at the John Worthy school, was discharged in the afternoon by the trial committee of the board. The charges against him were drunkenness and failure to report for duty at the proper time and in a "proper" condition.

LIQUOR MAY COST HOTEL'S CHARTER

State's Attorney Begins Attack on Great Northern for Conducting a Sunday Bar.

QUO WARRANTO WEAPON.

Two Jurors Chosen in Third Trial in City Court; Council Hears Echo of Question.

A new move which is intended to eliminate the Sunday saloon was made yesterday by State's Attorney John J. Healy. It came in the form of a quo warranto proceeding in the Superior court to oust from its corporate rights the Northern Hotel company, operating the Great Northern hotel, on the charge that the company's charter has been violated by the sale of liquor on Sunday.

If this action stands the test of the courts the quo warranto suit will prove the most formidable weapon yet employed against the Sunday saloon.

Judge Ben M. Smith, before whom the petition for the quo warranto writ was filed, gave the Northern Hotel company five days in which to show cause why the application of the state's attorney should not be granted.

Other Similar Hotel Companies.

Among the other hotels or hotel owners whose charters make their cases similar to that of the Great Northern are:

The Congress Hotel company, operating the Auditorium and the Auditorium Annex.
The Chicago Hotel company, operating the Palmer house.
The Grand Pacific Hotel company, operating the Grand Pacific.
The company operating the Brevoort hotel and dominated by Hannah & Hogg.
The company operating the Sherman house and dominated by Joseph Beifeld.
The Wellington Hotel company.

In fact, practically a majority of the hotels and many saloons of the city are operated by corporations.

Austrian Says Attack Will Fail.

The announcement that the new suit had been instituted was a bombshell for the liquor interests and their counsel, Alfred S. Austrian. Mr. Austrian was occupied in Judge Heap's court with the task of examining prospective jurors for the case of Hugh Daly, the second saloonkeeper brought to trial by the Chicago Law and Order league for violation of the state law prescribing the closing of saloons on Sunday.

"Why, it will be thrown out of court," said Mr. Austrian. "The latest amendment to the saloon ordinance—the Harkins amendment—expressly prohibits the issuance of a saloon license to a corporation.

"That amendment compels the corporations then holding saloon licenses to transfer or sell out to individuals, who shall be responsible to the city authorities. I understand the Northern Hotel company got rid of its saloon license and that it is now held by an individual. This sort of a quo warranto action will not lie against any individual, and if the corporation is shown not to be the licensee the suit must inevitably fail."

When told that Mr. Austrian had claimed

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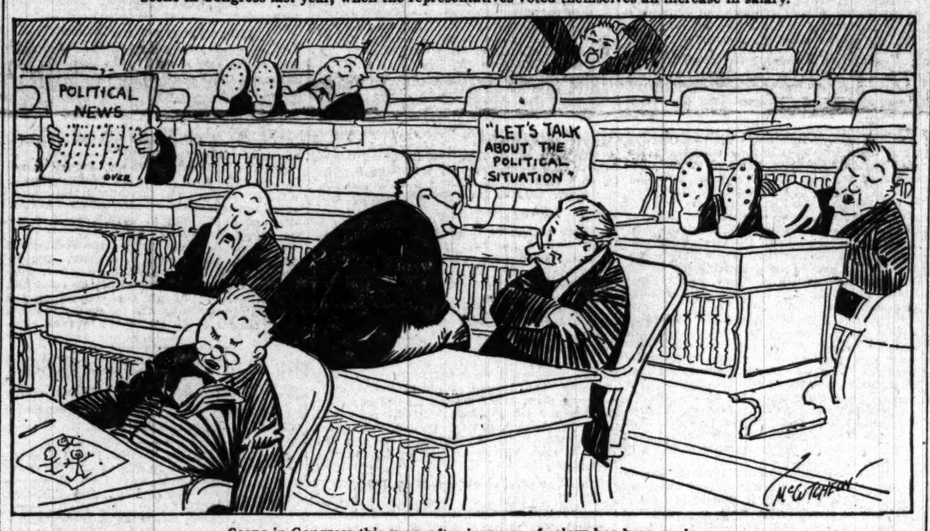
CONGRESS—BEFORE AND AFTER.

Scene in Congress last year, when the representatives voted themselves an increase in salary.



Scene in Congress this year, after increase of salary has been made.

PERJURY AS A FEMININE ART

"Oath Means Nothing to Woman," Says J. Hamilton Lewis.

ANYTHING TO HELP FRIENDS

Business Men Also Unreliable on Stand, So Law Students Are Told.

"Remember, gentlemen of the bar, an oath means nothing to a woman, and, as Horace has so truthfully expressed it, 'when a woman starts out to perjure herself, all h—— cannot keep her record.'"

With these words and a few more like them, Col. James Hamilton Lewis took the breath away from 200 students of the Northwestern university law school last evening. And this, though the most interesting, was only one of the many topics treated by the gubernatorial aspirant, for he told how trials had been tried and how they should have been tried in all ages from the illogical methods used by Cicero to the mistakes of Delmas at the Thaw trial.

Next to women, Col. Lewis considers business men unreliable, but above all classes of witnesses, he warned the budding lawyers against old women, the latter warning being inspired, apparently, by an attack once made on his cherished whiskers.

The main plea made by the colonel was for tact, which he held up as the supreme requisite for success as a lawyer.

"A woman always comes to testify as a witness for one of two reasons," he said. "Either she comes through a sense of affection or duty to those whom she loves or she comes to satisfy what she regards as a perfectly legitimate feeling of resentment.

No Sanctity in Oath.

"If it is the first of these she will come through fire and water to testify, and she will see things as her friend views them. Sincerely and earnestly she will testify that things are as she thinks they ought to be, and you may cross examine until you have exhausted the vocabulary and you will get nothing from her but her ideas of what they ought to be. A woman has no idea of the sanctity of an oath, and a woman will repeat when on oath anything which she will say when not on oath.

"If she comes as your witness, impelled by a feeling of resentment, be careful not to let her tell why she came. Get your main point out of her as expeditiously as possible and let her go; do not branch off into collateral matters, or she will take the first opportunity to vindicate herself for appearing by telling the grudge she has against the defendant.

"On the other hand, if you are cross examining her be careful not to let her state the grievance that has brought her in as a witness against your client unless you are sure of what it is, for no matter what a woman does if it be an act impelled by natural and legitimate affection the world will ever forgive her.

"Above all, remember that woman is a strange animal, and never question her as to her age. Let the cross examiner do that and make an enemy for life.

Beware of Elderly Women.

"Much tact as you will require in dealing with ordinary women it is nothing to the tact necessary to successfully cope with old women. Old ladies are dangerous on the witness stand; they destroy you. They have tact themselves and much experience, and often they are sharper than you are. There is no limit to the damage a vindictive old lady can do. Let me illustrate.

"I was once defending a personal injury case in which the plaintiff called as a witness a Miss Quinn, and we held the following dialogue:

"'Your name is Mrs. Quinn, I believe?'

"'Miss Quinn!'

"'Did I understand you to say that you were near the track?'

"'I don't know what you understood. You may be deaf for all I know.'

"'Were you near the track?'

"'Yes.'

"'You say that you stood so close to the track that the train shaved your dress as it rushed past?'

"'Yes.'

"'If you saw it coming, why did you stand so close to the track that it shaved your dress?'

"'Why don't you shave your whiskers?'

"'You see, gentlemen, that I cannot emphasize too much the value of exercise of deference at all times and under all circumstances to old ladies.'

Business Men Also Liars.

"Next to a woman, the business man is the greatest liar you will have to deal with. He is not an intentional liar. He is an incidental liar, for his monumental vanity will not allow him to admit that there is anything in any case that he does not know.

"Furthermore, he has thought over the case and formed views upon it, and he insists on airing these during his examination. He will give you his opinion, his version, what he thinks, and his verbosity and pomposity will enable the skillful cross-examiner to turn him upon the lance of his own vanity until he has turned a great hole in him.

"The educated man, instead of being the best witness, is the worst that can be found."

Among other things, the colonel told the lawyers that the preliminary examination of jurors was not to select a jury but to ascertain points in the characters of the jurymen on which the skillful attorney might play.

HUSBAND PATIENT IS LOST BY THE NURSE HE MARRIED.

Horace Kahnweiler, Who Wedded Mrs. Jane F. Geist a Month Ago, Expires at Phœnix, Ariz.

A romance which culminated in a marriage at the Chicago hospital on Dec. 3 last was terminated yesterday at Phœnix, Ariz., by the death of the invalid groom, who had gone there with his bride in the hope of recovering health.

Horace D. Kahnweiler, a traveling salesman for the George P. Bent Piano company, was a hospital patient for eighteen months and during all that time was nursed faithfully by his sweetheart, Mrs. Jane Farnum Geist of Albion, Mich. His original trouble was appendicitis and he was subjected to eight surgical operations.

A little over a month ago Dr. Alexander Ferguson, who had removed two of Mr. Kahnweiler's ribs, informed him that his only chance for recovery was a trip to Arizona. Kahnweiler said he would prefer to die rather than be separated from his sweetheart nurse, and Mrs. Geist said she would go to Arizona also if he was taken there.

So they decided to marry. The ceremony was performed in the hospital by the Rev. Gilbert Laidlaw and the couple departed the next day for the west. Word of Kahnweiler's death was received by his sister, Mrs. Block.

RUSH THAW CASE; 9 JURORS IN BOX.

Peremptory Challenges Are Reserved While Sleuths Dig Deep Into Lives of Talesmen.

PITY SQUAD IS ON HAND.

Women Are Barred Out and Court Stops Oratorical Flights of Jerome and Counsel for Slayer.

New York, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—With morning, afternoon, and night sessions of his court, Justice Dowling today opened the second trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White on Madison Square roof garden on June 25, 1906, in the criminal branch of the Supreme court.

Legal insanity at the time of the tragedy is to be the sole defense. This was made clear at the outset of the proceedings today when Mr. Littleton formally served notice that the former plea of not guilty was amended by the specification that the defendant was insane when the homicide was committed.

Nine in the Jury Box.

The occupants of the jury box at the conclusion of tonight's session were:

1—CHARLES E. GREMMELS, ship broker; married; 31 years old.
2—JOHN R. HATCHETT, cigar dealer; married; 45 years old.
3—GEORGE B. MOREWOOD, importer; married; 49 years old.
4—FLOYD S. SANFORD, bank manager; married; 39 years old.
5—JAMES E. CONWAY, hotelkeeper; single; 55 years old.
6—WILLIAM E. BROWER, decorator; married.
7—ARTHUR R. MANTHING, baker.
8—MAURICE BOUVIER, exporter.
9—GEORGE W. CARY, dry goods dealer; widower.

The number of jurors selected is no indication of the early beginning of evidence in the celebrated case, for an agreement was reached between District Attorney Jerome and Martin W. Littleton, chief counsel for the accused, that as the jurors were selected they should be put in the box without either side using its peremptory challenges until the entire twelve had been chosen.

Each side has thirty peremptory challenges, making sixty all told, and this means that at least five juries can be selected, put in the box, and thrown out by the use of these challenges.

Hunt Up Jurors' Records.

The arrangement will mean more than speed, for as the men are selected and put aside, locked in their hotel and guarded, the prospective jurymen will be subjected to careful investigation by the detectives of the district attorney's office, and perhaps by representatives of the counsel for the defense.

It will practically assure the state of a safe jury, one in which absolute reliance may be had for a fair verdict, for wherever there should be found grounds for suspicion against any man chosen by either side the peremptory challenges will remove him before the actual trial of the case begins.

While the dull work of examining talesmen is going on in the criminal courts building men will be scouring the city investigating the modes of existence of each and every man held prisoner as a prospective juror.

The men already selected are being well cared for. Twenty-one rooms have been engaged in the Knickerbocker hotel, West Forty-second street and Broadway. They are on the third floor, facing Forty-second street, and provide every luxury that the wealthiest of hotel livers might ask.

Curious Crowd Throngs Building.

Lieut. Kellerer, who had charge of the court squad in the trial last year, was in charge again today, and with even a larger force of men.

The entrances to the Criminal courts building were guarded by the bluecoats, who kept turning away loiterers. The stairs from the ground floor to the first floor were lined with men and a great space about the entrance to the courtroom in the northeast corner of the building was kept clear of the curious men and women who came seeking a glimpse of "Evelyn" or a sight of her husband.

The many galleries inside the building above the first floor held hundreds of people waiting to see Thaw pass on his way to the courtroom.

George Lauder Carnegie and his wife, Thaw's sister, and Josiah Thaw called on the prisoner before court opened and took him a message from his mother, who is ill in Pittsburg.

Scene in Court Unchanged.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw arrived in her electric brougham, chipper, a saucy glance in her eyes, and dressed in exactly the same schoolgirl garb she wore during the first trial. It seemed as if she had stowed away the whole costume in mothballs to await her second performance.

At 10 o'clock all the counsel were present, but it was after 11 before the courtroom was ready and lawyers, counsel, and talesmen swept in a whirl of humanity into the four walls which were to witness a repetition of the fight for the avenging of a man's life on the one hand and a fight for the life and liberty of his slayer on the other.

Aside from a few changes in the arrangements of the courtroom and the absence of several familiar faces the scene today was much like the opening day of the first trial.

Sympathy Squad on Hand.

The courtroom was packed with talesmen and reporters. Representatives of the sympathy squad were there, but not so many as before. There was a newcomer with dazzling light hair and much plumage. She was the sensation of the day.

Thaw has changed little. His straight, black hair is as wild as ever and accentuates the natural pallor of his face. His queer smile is still in evidence and he did as much talking to his lawyers as ever, although Mr. Littleton paid no attention to him.

Those of the Thaw family who were present today had their old seats at the end of the jury box. Evelyn Thaw came early. She was escorted to the courtroom by Detective Moore, who is employed by her husband's lawyers, and she went to lunch with him, although Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie, Thaw's sister, and Josiah Thaw, Thaw's half-brother, were present.

They were the only other members of the Thaw family in court. The countess of

Yarmouth is having her own troubles in Europe, but perhaps the most noticeable absentee was the stern faced, black robed Mrs. Mary G. Thaw, the defendant's mother, who is sick in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw is a sturdier looking girl than she was a year ago. The paleness has left her cheeks, which are now noticeably rosy and well filled out, and the schoolgirl gown reveals a figure just a trifle more plump. The style of her hat she has changed a bit, but it droops back over her head, and on top of it is a big cluster of violets, over which a long blue veil was thrown.

Justice Dowling Hastens Work.

The methods of Justice Dowling are almost the opposite of Justice Fitzgerald's, who presided at the first trial. His manner is alert and he rules on all questions promptly.

Once or twice, when Mr. Jerome and Mr. Littleton showed a desire to become oratorical, Justice Dowling shut them off with a quickness that astonished those who remembered how Michael Delphin Delmas and Mr. Jerome had been allowed to overwork their vocabularies.

But it could not be said that Justice Dowling was harsh or unreasonable. A pleasant and responsive smile disclosed a sense of humor, and in the two slight encounters between Mr. Jerome and Mr. Littleton his decisions left the honors even.

The jury will be locked up while the trial is on. Justice Dowling made this announcement at the outset. He added, however, that the jury would be sent to a first class, modern fireproof hotel, in order to allay the fears of any of the talesmen that they would be uncomfortable.

Second Trial Is Begun.

After a delay while Justice Dowling was swearing in a special grand jury, District Attorney Jerome said:

"I move the trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White."

"Harry K. Thaw to the bar," said Clerk William Penney, and the second trial of Thaw had begun.

Thereupon Mr. Littleton, whose manner was confident, and who talked to the point, made the announcement that had been expected, that Thaw's defense would be straight insanity—that he did not know the nature and quality of his act, nor that it was wrong when he shot down White on the roof of Madison Square garden on the night of June 25, 1906.

In the morning and afternoon sessions thirty-five talesmen were examined before five jurors were obtained. Every second man had an opinion of Thaw's guilt or innocence or something else that would disqualify him as a juror. Thomas H. Harman, who was foreman of the second Nan Patterson jury, which disagreed, was excused by consent.

Four talesmen had been examined when Charles E. Gremmels was picked out after a long examination. He said he had conscientious scruples against the death penalty, but he could lay them aside and get into the jury box and bring in a verdict of murder in the first degree if the evidence justified it.

John R. Hatchett was agreed upon next. In picking him out Mr. Littleton won a point over Mr. Jerome. Mr. Littleton said that the burden was on the prosecution to show Thaw was sane when he killed White, which was disputed by Mr. Jerome, but Justice Dowling held that it would be necessary for the prosecution to prove beyond a reasonable doubt that Thaw was sane when he killed White.

Many Have Opinions.

The talesman was an exception who hadn't formed a strong opinion of the innocence or guilt of Thaw based on the newspaper reports of the evidence he had read. Most of them were pretty certain that they couldn't have the opinion effaced, but a few said that they believed they could go into the jury box and decide solely on the evidence presented to them at this trial.

One of these was Floyd S. Sanford. He had a fixed opinion, but after a lot of questioning he declared he could lay it aside. He is a young, serious looking man, with glasses, and he was accepted.

The subject of the definition of insanity came in for much explanation from Mr. Jerome and Mr. Littleton. Legal insanity was no irresistible impulse of so-called moral insanity. Mr. Jerome said the only legal insanity was the insanity set forth in the statutes.

Mr. Littleton wanted to know each time if the talesman had a prejudice to the defense of insanity.

Thinks All Men Partly Insane.

One man, Cornelius Renner, a jeweler, of 48 Barrow street said he believed that every man was partly insane. For that reason any man who did assert self-defense could make the defense of partial insanity. He was not accepted.

George B. Morewood was selected after both Mr. Jerome and Mr. Littleton had questioned him on almost every subject under the sun. To both of them he made smiling and ready answers. He has patches of whiskers on each side of his face, which is extremely pale, and a drooping mustache.

Thomas Moynan, a manufacturer of 16 East Forty-fifth street, looked like a good candidate for the jury box. He told Mr. Jerome that he was not a Yankee.

"I'm Irish by birth; American by adoption," he said.

"You lived in Brooklyn," said Mr. Littleton.

Mr. Moynan was rejected, and then Milton B. Mould was called. Mr. Jerome talked to him earnestly about the duties of a juror, all of which didn't please Mr. Littleton, who got up and said that there had been altogether too much of it on the part of Mr. Jerome.

"I object to the adjuration of jurors by the district attorney as to their conduct," said Mr. Littleton.

"Objection overruled, next question," said Justice Dowling, and Mr. Jerome had scored.

The fifth juror obtained at the day session, James E. Conway, was a phlegmatic individual who keeps the Morris hotel. He didn't seem to care whether he went on the jury or not, but he was accepted much to the surprise of everybody in the courtroom. Thirty talesmen had been examined then.

Few at Night Session.

When the night session began a little after 8 o'clock there were about seventy persons in all in the courtroom. There were no women members of the Thaw family there.

Twenty-two talesman were examined and from them four more jurors were selected. When the evening session ended 57 of the panel of 100 had been heard. Hudson Clarke of 213 West Eighty-fifth street, the first talesman called, knew Mr. Jerome and was excused.

William E. Brower, a decorator, living at 388 Claremont avenue, proved to be the sixth juror. He said he had done business with McKim, Mead & White, decorating some houses on Long Island, but he didn't know Mr. White personally. He said he had served in criminal cases before and altogether he was apparently what both sides wanted. He was accepted.

Two more men were passed over and then Arthur R. Naething, a baker, in business at 488 Broome street for many years, took the chair. He said he never heard of Stanford White before the murder. He had read the newspaper headings about the first trial, but hadn't gone deeply into the subject. He had an opinion that could be changed, and he took seat No. 7 in the box.

Suspicious of Insanity Plea.

The fiftieth talesman, Maurice Bouvier, vice president of William R. Grace & Co., had an opinion which he thought he could lay aside. When asked if he had any prejudice against the plea of insanity he said: "Not as such," and explained that such a plea made him suspicious. He had served in capital cases before, and was accepted as the eighth juror.

George W. Cary, a dry goods man, in business at 648 Broadway and living at the Hotel Churchill, was the sixtieth talesman and the ninth juror. He said he had no bias against a genuine defense of insanity.

After one more talesman had been examined and excused, Justice Dowling adjourned court until 10:15 tomorrow morning.

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GIVES A BUILDING FOR UNEMPLOYED

Marvin Hughitt, President of Northwestern Railway, Aids 'Tribune' Relief.

FREE LEASE TO APRIL 1.

Structure Is Located at 59-61 Canal Street and Well Adapted for the Purpose.

The homeless men who are walking Chicago's streets, without funds or employment, and with no place to sleep, found generous and sympathetic friends yesterday.

Marvin Hughitt, president of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, donated the use of a four story building at 59-61 Canal street, admirably adapted for lodging house purposes.

THE TRIBUNE relief committee, at a meeting in the afternoon, passed a resolution providing for the taking of immediate steps to relieve the emergency existing among the unemployed.

This was after Malcolm McDowell, who has been distributing coffee and bread from a wagon nightly in West Madison street, made an eloquent plea for the distressed, who night after night are obliged to walk the streets, unable to find quarters in the municipal lodgings or in the police stations.

Contributions Reach $1,356.

The total contributions to THE TRIBUNE relief fund reached $1,356 during the day, the list being as follows:

Mrs. Charles A. Stonehill	$ 100.00
Central church	100.00
Allan T. Paul	25.00
Harry Lewis Bird	5.00
H. A. Klein	10.00
Mrs. George F. Upton	5.00
C. H. S.	10.00
Anonymous	1.00
P. J. O'Keeffe	10.00
Henrietta Owsley	5.00
F. W. Raymond	10.00
Dr. V. C. Price	50.00
Chicago House Wrecking company	25.00
Total	$ 356.00
Chicago Tribune	1,000.00
Total	$1,356.00

In addition to these Richheimer & Co., 38-40 South Water street, agreed to furnish all the coffee to be used during January. The donation from the Chicago House Wrecking company will be in the form of furniture.

Mr. Hughitt Solves Problem.

The problem of housing the needy was solved by President Hughitt's generous offer. When Mr. Hughitt learned of the difficulty which THE TRIBUNE committee was in to secure desirable quarters in the neighborhood of the municipal lodging house he did not hesitate an instant. While the committee was in session at THE TRIBUNE office Mr. Hughitt sent for plats of the vacant buildings possessed by the Northwestern railroad on the site of its new depot on the west side. He selected the best one of these buildings and asked how it would answer.

"The movement inaugurated by THE TRIBUNE for housing the worthy unemployed is commendable," he said. "Here is this building at 59-61 Canal street. It is a four story building, in good condition. I will lease it to THE TRIBUNE until April 1 for the purpose of lodging the unemployed, and the rent will be nothing."

Vice President John M. Whitman took immediate steps for making out the lease, and it is hoped that the building will be ready for occupancy by this evening.

The building is 42 feet wide, 140 feet long, comparatively new, well ventilated, and well arranged for the lodging of several hundred men. It has the advantage of being located within a short distance of the municipal lodging house. It will be operated in conjunction with the municipal institution with Supt. James Mullenbach's experience to guide in the furnishing of lodging to worthy persons.

At the Committee Meeting.

The committee meeting, at which Medill McCormick, publisher of THE TRIBUNE, presided, was attended by Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, Father E. A. Kelly, Dean W. T. Sumner, John F. Smulski, Jacob J. Kern, Brig. Gen. Fielding of the Volunteers of America, E. P. Bicknell, superintendent of the Chicago bureau of charities, James Mullenbach, Miss Mary McDowell, University of Chicago settlement; Miss Anna Nichols of Neighborhood house, Edwin F. Meyer, president of the Associated Jewish charities of Chicago; Malcolm McDowell, and Arthur Young.

Mr. McDowell struck the keynote of the committee meeting after a discussion concerning the possible employment of needy men, suffering from want of food and a place to sleep.

Urgent Need of Shelter.

"There were 850 homeless men fed last night at the coffee wagon in West Madison street," he said. "There are 1,350 men on the west side who will have to go without food or a place to sleep tonight. The municipal lodging house cannot take care of them. The regular lodging houses are taxed beyond their capacity even if these men were able to pay the pittance asked for a night's lodging. Some sleeping place should be found for these men immediately. I don't care what this committee or any one else does, I am going out this afternoon to see what I can find in the way of a loft. I can't stand again the sight of these men walking the streets after 1 o'clock in the morning.

"At 11:30 o'clock last night hundreds of these men came to me and said they had no place to go. They could not even get into the police stations. All they want is a place where they can flop down—some sort of shelter."

Emergency to Be Met.

Brigadier Fielding of the Volunteers of America said:

"There appears to be an emergency here. I believe that it can be met, and if THE TRIBUNE proposes to meet it the Volunteers of America stand ready to do their share."

"We are confronted by a special emergency and a general situation," said Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus. "THE TRIBUNE has seen a whole lot of trouble ahead unless we handle this problem in a humane way. We can't afford to have hundreds of unemployed men, hungry, and with no place to sleep, when the country is prosperous. Don't let us delay too long in an emergency case. The thing that caused the crisis in '93, one of the saddest things I ever experienced, was putting off just what we are now discussing.

"Let us relieve the situation tonight or tomorrow night. The Central church will contribute $100 for this purpose, and in my judgment it will have no bad effect upon the general situation."

Thinks Need Underestimated.

Mr. Kern said that he had made inquiries and was convinced that the industrial enterprises of Chicago in many instances were employing one-third less persons than they were a year ago at this time, and gave several instances to prove it. His idea was that it would be necessary to furnish relief to a great many more persons than the committee estimated. He said that in the tailor shops half the regular force had been laid off. On Mr. Kern's motion an executive committee of five was appointed which will have charge of the details of lodging the homeless, feeding them, and working in conjunction with Mr. Kingsley's general committee, which has mapped out an extensive scheme of relief, including families. This subcommittee of five is composed of Dean W. T. Sumner, E. P. Bicknell, Jacob J. Kern, Malcolm McDowell, Father Kelly. It will hold its first meeting at 1 o'clock today at the Midday club.

Arrange Temporary Shelter.

J. W. Allen of J. W. Allen & Co. yesterday gave the three story stone building at 27 South Peoria street, to be used as a convalescent home for the joint use of the Municipal lodging house and the Chicago Relief and Aid society. About fifty convalescents can be housed in this building.

BIG LAKE HARBOR URGED BY MAYOR.

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title along the south shore, already has asked for permission from the war department to fill in land for the outer driveway and park belt.

Henry G. Foreman, president of the south park board, said last night that the improvement schemes were just being put under headway and that no permission had been asked as yet and that none would be for some time, it being necessary first to secure title from the owners of lake shore property which must be secured.

He also raised the point that the south park commissioners, by virtue of the acts of the present legislature, are the only authorities authorized to acquire title to the shore land and that the city authorities will need legislation as the first essential to the commercial scheme.

"City Beautifiers" Are Dazed.

The mayor's scheme took the breath away from the "city beautiful" advocates when they first learned of it. They are just preparing to enter into negotiations with the private property owners, including the Illinois Central, according to Mr. Foreman, to get the title which is the first requisite to their plans.

Daniel H. Burnham, the architect, has planned a pleasing picture of the south shore drive, extending out into the lake and inclosing acres of playgrounds, parks, lagoons, and recreation places. It is suggested that the two schemes may be worked together and that Mr. Burnham's outer drive may find a place on the breakwater which the federal government is to be asked to build as a part of the harbor.

Mr. Burnham has had a small force of designers at work on top of the Railway Exchange building in Michigan avenue, from which an alluring view of the lake scenery can be secured, and the "city beautiful" plans are well advanced in the pictorial stages.

The Commercial club has been a strong advocate of the park plan, and opposition from all the forces which have been working for a "more beautiful Chicago" is expected.

Busse Wants Prosperous City.

Mayor Busse does not oppose the "city beautiful" schemes in themselves, but questions the wisdom which would deprive the city of the commercial value of its entire lake front when it is shown that the city's commerce is being injured beyond the ability of the city to repair it in any other way.

He takes the position that the city cannot be beautiful unless it first be prosperous, and that it cannot be prosperous with its lake commerce going to other ports and its railroads needing better terminal facilities.

The latter phases of the commercial question he brought into the proposition as incidental to it, but still worthy of consideration by the commission which he is to appoint.

Text of the Resolution.

The resolution, which was adopted on motion of Ald. Milton J. Foreman as soon as the mayor's message had been read, follows:

"Resolved, That the mayor be and he is hereby authorized to appoint a commission of five for the purpose of making a comprehensive study and detailed report to the city council on Chicago's harbors, together with such recommendations as to harbor, railway terminal, and park plans on and along that part of the shore of Lake Michigan lying between Twelfth street and Jackson park as it may deem fit; and, be it further

"Resolved, That $5,000 be and it is hereby appropriated out of moneys not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of defraying the expenses of said commission."

Mayor's Message to Council.

The message to the council says:

"I desire to call your attention to the pressing need of giving careful and comprehensive consideration at the earliest possible date to the question of Chicago's harbor facilities. It is a notorious fact that the lake commerce of Chicago, once the pride and boast of this city, has been steadily decreasing for a number of years. This city now, I believe, ranks fourth in lake commerce, where once it stood first and far ahead of its nearest competitor. Without counting the ore shipments from the iron beds of the northwest, the city of Duluth, which is but a pigmy compared with Chicago, and which serves as a distributing center for a much smaller territory, ranks about even with this city in general lake commerce.

"The one and only reason for Chicago's decline in this respect is the inconvenience and inadequacy of its harbor facilities. We have been inclined to rest easy in the belief that the tunnels formed practically the only obstruction to commerce in the Chicago river and that the lowering of the tunnels will end all of our difficulties in this respect. I agree with many who have studied this question, that the tunnels constitute only a small part of the conditions which hamper shipping in the Chicago river.

"Even with the tunnels lowered to any depth, the largest boats in use on the great lakes would still find it difficult to make free use of the Chicago river on account of its narrowness and crookedness. Many millions of dollars could be spent in straightening and widening this river without making it in any degree adequate for the demands of lake commerce that ought to come to Chicago, for so long as we have bridges across the river—and we cannot do without the bridges—boats will be delayed in coming in and going out, and every such delay means a hampering of commerce in the matter of time and also the high flowing charges, which are a burden upon the freight carriers.

More Harborage Is Necessary.

"The time has come when Chicago must decide whether it will depend for the future entirely upon the harborage afforded by the Chicago river and the Calumet river, or whether it should not take steps to utilize at least some portion of its lake front for shipping purposes. Legislation was enacted at the last session of the general assembly, which contemplates turning over to the various park boards, practically all of our lake front for development and beautification as adjuncts of our park systems.

"We are all proud of our splendid systems of parks and boulevards. We all want to see them grow, but no city, and particularly no strictly industrial and commercial city such as Chicago is, can thrive on beautification alone. Lake commerce played a large part in making Chicago what it is. I do not believe it wise to ignore entirely that advantage which Chicago has by reason of its location, and it is only a question of time when that advantage will be lost, unless we secure other harborage facilities than those afforded by the Chicago and Calumet rivers. If lake commerce cannot find convenient accommodation at Chicago, it will go to the harbors being developed just over the state line in Indiana, just as certainly as water runs down hill.

"Practically all of our lake front that has not been already dedicated to park purposes is that comparatively short stretch of shore line lying between Twelfth street and Jackson park. Under the legislation enacted last spring this will also be turned over to the south park board as soon as the war department gives its consent. Holding the views I do on this whole subject, I have asked the secretary of war to withhold this consent until the city of Chicago can consider and determine whether it may not desire to use some portion or all of this shore line between Twelfth street and Jackson park for commercial and shipping purposes, a copy of which communication is attached.

For More Railway Terminals.

"Consideration of this question of utilizing the lake front as indicated, for shipping purposes, might properly include also consideration of the ever present, pressing railway terminal problem. While I have no fixed views on this part of the subject, I can see that it might be possible, in developing a harbor on the lake front as indicated, to acquire sufficient land, made by filling in the submerged land incident to building docks and breakwaters, which might serve railway terminal purposes. This, however, is simply incidental to the main proposition."

FIGHT ON CRIME BY TRIPLE FORCE.

Police, Judges, and Aldermen Co-operate to Stem Wave of Lawlessness.

SEEK SEVERER PENALTY.

Ordinances Presented to Restrict Carrying of Weapons; Many Arrests Made.

In an effort to check crime in Chicago, vigorous measures were taken yesterday by the police, municipal judges, and members of the city council. With the murder of two policemen within twenty-four hours, the force recognized it is facing a serious condition.

To further the work of the police, Ald. Charles M. Foell introduced two ordinances in the city council in the evening looking to a regulation of the sale of firearms and providing severe punishment for the carrying of weapons without a license or permit from the police department. The ordinance applying to the sale of weapons provides that every dealer must have a license from the mayor and must deposit a bond of $5,000 as surety that he will obey the provisions of the ordinance.

Under the ordinance concerning the possession of firearms it is provided that every licensee file with his application for a license his business, place of residence, purpose for which the firearm is kept, and other details. Any transfer in possession must be accompanied by notice to the chief of police. Power is given to the mayor to revoke any license, and the chief of police may confiscate the weapon for just cause.

Bigger Fine for Carrying Weapon.

Ald. Stewart joined Ald. Foell in the attempt to get new laws by securing adoption of a resolution authorizing the committee on state legislation to draft a bill amending the state law to provide for a fine of $100, instead of $25, for carrying concealed weapons, and adding a provision for imprisonment for one year in the house of correction.

"I am inclined to think that our law on carrying concealed weapons is inadequate," said Chief Shippy. "The penalty for carrying a revolver is not sufficiently drastic to inspire fear in young criminals. Of the 200 or more men now under arrest, I am told that 1 out of 10 are of the tough young hoodlum element, a class of men who become the most violent criminals.

"The law on carrying weapons is a problem. Even though it were made more strict, and though imprisonment were substituted for a fine, I fear it would not serve its purpose. The criminal does not regard the law, for he intends to commit a crime more serious than carrying a revolver, and he needs the weapon in his crime."

Police Stations Crowded.

Following a day of wholesale arrests, which filled police stations to overflowing with suspicious characters and criminals with police records, the chief said that every facility of his department would be used to gather in criminals, vagrants, and suspicious characters, and that the city, especially the west side district, which is the crime center, would be cleared at all costs.

Detectives of the Maxwell street station searched the Italian district for the slayers of Antonio Barbutto, killed Sunday night, and twenty-four Italians were caught in the dragnet and examined by Inspector Lavin. It was learned that Barbutto was murdered following a quarrel with two men in the saloon of John Generallo, West Polk and Desplaines streets. The men left the saloon and finished the quarrel in the street. Among the men arrested was Vencincio Larixxa, 22 years old, who lives at 144 Forquer street. The police say he was the companion of the slayer of Barbutto.

"We know the identity of Barbutto's murderer and detectives are searching for the man," said Lavin. "It is only a question of hours until he is caught and brought in."

Heavy Penalties Imposed.

Judge Beitler at the Desplaines street station marked the day in court by imposing heavy penalties on vagrants and suspicious characters. He said he would aid the police department in every way in the present crusade against crime.

Paul Livingston, 40 years old, alleged to have been implicated in the shooting of Policeman Mooney, was sentenced to four months in the bridewell. James Mills, 24 years old, 179 Green street, an alleged "coke" fiend, received a bridewell sentence of three months, and Joseph Reed, 40 years old, a colored man, who admitted that he has been a vagrant for two months, received a sentence of four months. Five others received fines amounting to $100 and costs, while several took continuances or applied for trial by jury.

Wounded Holdup Man Dies.

Young McCagg, who was shot last Friday night in the revolver battle at Washington boulevard and Hoyne avenue, in which his companion, David Anderson, mortally wounded Policeman Michael Callahan, died early in the morning at the county hospital. He made an ante-mortem statement in which he said that Anderson fired the shot that killed the policeman, also the bullet that caused his death.

The inquest on Callahan was held in the afternoon, and the coroner's jury returned a verdict holding Anderson to the grand jury on the charge of murdering Callahan and McCagg. The jury also held as accessories Joseph Lenke and John Dennin, who had started out with Anderson and McCagg on a robbing expedition.

WARRANT FOR A SALOONKEEPER

State's Attorney's Office Co-operates with North Side Police—Martin Rhein Accused.

The first step taken on the north side by the state's attorney's office to cooperate with the police to rid the city of undesirable characters was made yesterday, when Martin Rhein, a saloonkeeper at 52 Wells street, was taken into custody on a warrant sworn out by Assistant State's Attorney James P. Harrold. The warrant charged Rhein with conducting a disorderly house where thieves congregate for the purpose of robbery. The arrest was the result of the robbery of a man of $90 in the place several days ago.

LIQUOR MAY COST HOTEL'S CHARTER

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to have discovered this loophole in the laws, State's Attorney Healy said:

"I am not surprised that the point has been raised, as the provisions of the Harkins amendment are well known in my office. But we expect to be able to show that the man in whose name the Great Northern saloon license is held—Col. John C. Roth—is simply an agent for the hotel corporation, and that in reality the company is the owner of the license.

"These points we think we can demonstrate to the court with convincing evidence and arguments. If the judge believes that Col. Roth's property right in the license is merely a blind or cloak for the company, I have strong hope that he will see the force of our claim that the hotel company should forfeit its charter right, or at least be heavily fined."

Mr. Roth said:

"We are ready to obey this state law on Sunday closing when we are shown beyond question that it is the law in Chicago, and has not become a dead letter from lack of enforcement. The saloon license for this hotel was put in my name at the time the city ordinance decreed that no company could hold such a license."

Wants Supreme Court Ruling.

The quo warranto proceeding is based on the principle that the state will not permit a corporation chartered under the state to violate any of the state's laws. If the legal tribunals hold that the Sunday closing law applies to Chicago, as contended by the state's attorney, the hotel company, if it operates the bar, could be deprived of its charter or a heavy fine imposed, in the discretion of the court. The quo warranto suit is considered important in that it is relied on to enable the state's attorney to get an early decision from the Supreme court on the question of the applicability of the Sunday closing statute to Chicago.

The information on which the quo warranto suit was started was brought to Mr. Healy by Attorney Robert McMurdy and Investigator William F. Mulvihill of the Law and Order league.

Mulvihill signed the information, which alleged that he bought intoxicating drinks at the Great Northern hotel barroom last Sunday, that sales of liquor were made to all applicants, and that no attempt was made to observe the Sunday closing law.

Two Jurors Are Selected.

Arguments on the nature of questions to be asked prospective jurors delayed the selection of the jury in the Sunday closing cases. At the close of the first day's session only two jurors had been passed on favorably by both sides. They are:

JAMES PARKS, 145 Fifty-seventh place, shirt cutter.

PAUL WENDT, 525 McLean avenue, cement contractor.

Attorney Austrian asked G. E. Vermass, 5121 Vernon avenue, whether he would find the defendant guilty if he believed that the Sunday closing law did not apply to Chicago. On Assistant State's Attorney Northup's objection Judge Heap ruled the question improper on the ground that the law did apply to Chicago.

Mr. Austrian made objection to the court's ruling, and Judge Heap decided to let the defense argue the construction of the cities and villages act under which Chicago's charter was obtained.

All reference to this was ruled out on the last trial by Judge Heap, and Mr. Austrian was jubilant over what he told the judge was "a complete reversal of himself."

"No, I have just decided to give you more leeway in arguing to the jury, but less in the examination of witnesses," Judge Heap retorted.

Saloon Question in Council.

The Sunday saloon situation got the attention of the city council when Ald. Hey and Jacobs of the Twenty-third ward united in a series of resolutions deploring the persistent efforts of prosecuting authorities to interfere "with the peace, liberty, and quiet" of the people "in lawful public places," and asking that "our judicial and executive departments desist."

They asked also that the city council immediately take such action as would result in a full presentation of the facts in the controversy to the legislature with the request that Chicago be allowed to govern itself in the matter of Sunday saloons.

The two aldermen wanted the resolutions adopted at once, but Ald. Bennett suggested that they go to committee. Mr. Hey was asking for suspension of the rules and a roll call to lineup the council on the proposition, when he was persuaded to allow the resolutions to go to the license committee.

NIECE OF MRS. EDDY MURDERED?

Woman Slain at Rhyolite, Nev., Said to Have Been Christian Science Leader's Relative.

Rhyolite, Nev., Jan. 6.—Mrs. Isabel Heskett, who was murdered on Friday by Fred Skinner, alias Fred Davis, was, it is said, a niece of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, the Christian Science leader.

This statement was made on the authority of her husband, C. C. Heskett, who has just arrived from Fallon, Nev., to take charge of the body.

Mrs. Heskett was married to Heskett at Shadron, Neb., two years ago. Last July she eloped with Skinner.

MAIL ORDER AIDS PROHIBITION

Postmaster General Says All Future Contracts Must Forbid Carrying of Intoxicating Liquors.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Postmaster General Meyer has issued an order which has a direct bearing upon the prohibition movement. The order makes it a condition of any contract for carrying the mails upon star, screen wagon, messenger, or special service route that the contractor-carrier shall not transport intoxicating liquor while in the performance of mail service.

FORMER GOVERNOR PARALYZED

J. Proctor Knott of Kentucky Is Stricken in His Home in Lebanon.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 6.—Former Gov. J. Proctor Knott suffered a stroke of paralysis last night in his home near Lebanon, but is reported as resting easily this morning.

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THINKS EX-MAYOR HELPED ROB CITY

Thomas J. Sutherland Wants to Be Retained to Recover "Embezzled" Funds.

DATES BACK TO HARRISON

Says Tunnel Contractors Fitz-Simons & Connell Were Illegally Paid.

Thomas J. Sutherland, for nine years an assistant corporation counsel, presented a most sensational petition to the city council last evening. It was even more sensational than some of Mr. Sutherland's former performances. It was quietly referred to the finance committee.

While the prayer of the petition is simply that the council shall employ Mr. Sutherland as an attorney to collect a claim he asserts the city has against the old contracting firm of FitzSimons & Connell for $336,000, the specific charges go much further. They are:

That Carter H. Harrison while mayor "embezzled" money from the city treasury to the amount of over $7,000.

That Lawrence E. McGann, Mayor Harrison's commissioner of public works, aided in this "embezzlement."

That both the mayor and the commissioner conspired to rob the city for the benefit of the firm of contractors, the price paid being the aid of Gen. FitzSimons in procuring the reelection of Mayor Harrison.

That John Erickson, then city engineer, was a party to this raid on the city treasury.

Many Vague Charges.

These are the specific and direct charges. There are also a large number of vague ones, based on one made prominent that "in the nature of things the city officials accused must have personally got their share" of the money Mr. Sutherland declares was illegally paid the firm of contractors. Throughout the petition is an indictment of city government in Chicago. In his preamble the signer says they are all alike, democratic or republican, and it is only a matter of name and not of character.

In conclusion Mr. Sutherland asks the council to name a committee to investigate all these matters. Two years ago he succeeded in having appointed a similar committee. Ald. Edward F. Cullerton getting the resolution passed for him. This committeen spent much time considering charges largely similar to those made last night and all the evidence Mr. Sutherland produced was heard. No results were obtained, however.

The basis of the petition is the claim that the city got much the worst of the bargain when FitzSimons & Connell built the northeast land tunnel.

Openly Charges Embezzlement.

This not being enough, the crime of embezzlement is openly charged. The petition makes the argument that "embezzlement is not different or less where the official himself takes the money or where he unlawfully aids another to get possession of it," and the direct charge is made that on May 12 Mayor Harrison, Commissioner McGann, and City Engineer Erickson signed a voucher for $7,926,080 in favor of FitzSimons & Connell, for which the petitioner claims that firm had no title at all.

The suit the council is asked to authorize Mr. Sutherland to bring is to recover from the contractors the money they received on account of the northeast land tunnel. He asserts there never was any contract for the building of the tunnel; that if there was a contract it was not lived up to.

Points to His Experience.

"My well known experience in defending in the courts the financial interests of the city during my connection with its legal affairs for nearly eleven years," he adds, "is, I trust, a sufficient guaranty that I would not institute a meritless proceeding, and that this litigation thus begun will be pressed by me with fidelity and energy."

CAR HITS HORSE; GIRL KILLED.

Miss Mary Duffy of Chicago Dies from Injuries Received in Accident in California.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Miss Mary Ellen Duffy, formerly of Chicago, but now companion of Mrs. W. A. Clark Jr., died today of injuries received yesterday, when the horse she was riding was struck by a car.

Miss Duffy when a resident of Chicago lived at the home of Mrs. L. Rumbold, 500½ West Adams street. She is said to have become acquainted with Mrs. Clark Jr. shortly after she went to Butte, Mont., two years ago, after failing heiress to a large ranch. She was an orphan, and previous to her inheritance was employed as a hair dresser in State street. She was 27 years old.

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Orchestra Hall Filled with Applauding People on Opening of Pantomime.

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Musicians Play with Spirit for Fund to Benefit Sick Ones of Their Number.

In dance and pantomime the music of the masters was given the incarnation of human form and grace last night at Orchestra hall. It was the evening of "living music," given for the benefit of the invalid fund of the members of the Theodore Thomas orchestra.

Before a gathering that filled every seat of the main floor and balcony the Thomas orchestra played while four casts of amateur players drawn from the ranks of Chicago society folk depicted the stories of the musical themes. Altogether it was one of the most novel and artistic of the numerous productions entertainments given for charitable purposes in recent years.

The program will be repeated this evening. It is estimated that out of the receipts of the two evenings $15,000 will be realized for the fund out of which sick or otherwise unfortunate members of the orchestra are aided.

Applause Is Enthusiastic.

The art with which the amateur players embodied the themes in human emotions won the enthusiastic applause of the spectators. At the tap of Conductor Stock's baton an immortal melody would be poured forth, while out upon the stage sprang the creatures of the composer's imagination in real flesh and blood—Chicago men and matrons and debutantes of this season and the next.

Then to Grieg's strains the gathering saw Anitra in the person of Miss Marjory Chisholm, with her band of maidens, beguile Peer Gynt, who was Eames MacVeagh. To Bizet's melody they witnessed the homecoming of an Italian medieval lord from his hunt and his welcome by family and retainers. Then the scene changed and, under the spell of Massenet, the audience looked on while Electra, in the person of Mrs. Solomon Sturges, poured the ceremonial libation upon the tomb of Agamemnon. For a finale the gathering was treated to the frolic of Jack Frost in Summer Time, the music for which was written by Edward Burlingame Hill, while the Toad and Jack Frost were impersonated by Joseph Lindon Smith.

Fine Musician to Be Aided.

It seemed as if the members of the orchestra played as they never played before. It seemed as if they bent to their instruments with the ever present picture in their minds of one of their number who while they played was sitting somewhere in the slowly deepening gloom of failing eyesight. And then they played as if to give their best for the man who will be the first to be benefited by the proceeds of the entertainment. The musician who is to be assisted is Bruno Kuehn, who for sixteen years was the principal of the second violin players. He is going blind.

Not the least part of the entertainment was offered by the gentlemanly scene shifters between the acts. Their contribution was not down on the program, but they made a decided hit.

On account of the exigences of the orchestral stage there was no drop curtain and all the changes of scenery went on in full view of the spectators. After Anitra's dance a force of faultlessly attired young men headed by Frederick Clay Bartlett armed with a stepladder issued forth from the wings and began removing the mountains and the desert and the sea. From the dizzy height of his stepladder Mr. Bartlett wrestled with a beetling cliff and finally conquered it, getting a generous hand from the spectators.

Almost an Accident.

The corps of white gloved men was succeeded by another corps of lusty fellows wearing a livery of green coats and white knee breeches and stockings. This force proceeded to create the Italian nobleman's palace against his homecoming. But they got things a trifle mixed, as a result of which they erected Jack Frost's fountain on Agamemnon's tomb and then discovered that the duke's castle was missing. These architectural exertions nearly ended in a catastrophe, for at one time the arch of the fountain threatened to tumble off its columns upon the heads of the men.

Finally with the horn of the returning huntsman sounding in the distance the amateur scene shifters with one fell swoop razed Jack Frost's fountain and Agamemnon's tomb to their foundations and carried them off the stage, letting the nobleman come home as best he might without a castle.

Dance of Anitra.

After the orchestra had played the "Tannhäuser" march and the Henry VIII. dances the first pantomime, that of Anitra's dance, was portrayed. The scene represented an oasis in the desert, with the tent of Peer Gynt amid the rocks.

As Griegic music struck up, a bevy of swarthy girls carrying musical instruments trooped upon the scene and began frolicking about the tent. Two of the girls lifted the flaps of the tent, and Peer Gynt, in full Bedouin costume, stalked majestically forth.

In her shimmering vestments Anitra prostrates and poses enticingly before Gynt, who by the time she has plucked from his turban his magnificent aigrette is beginning to get interested. With alluring smiles the girl trips about him, just beyond his reach. Finally, Gynt springs to his feet in pursuit of the maiden. As a gift Anitra chooses the opal that clasps her adorer's turban, and instantly it is hers. Then, with derisive gestures, Anitra and her band dance away, leaving Gynt to his disillusionment.

The young women who assisted Miss Chisholm are:

Mrs. Charles Dewey,	Miss Marjorie Robbins,
Miss Frances Benedict,	Mrs. Mason Bross,
Miss Ethel Burke,	Mrs. J. M. Patterson,
Miss Margaret Bull,	Miss Lucy Blair,
Miss Elizabeth Corbin,	Miss Roscoe Chisholm,
Miss Elinor Conover,	Miss Elsie Dixon,
Miss Barbara Deering,	Miss Catherine Jones,
Miss Dorothy Fuller,	Miss Helen Poole,
Miss Katherine Gannon,	Miss Marie Rozet,
Mrs. Milton Wilson,	Miss Marie Ryerson,
Miss Grace McCarthy,	Miss Agnes Street,
Miss Caroline Mills,	Miss Isabel de Terese.

Close of the Day.

As an interlude the orchestra played Handel's Largo and then came the pantomime "The Close of the Day," with incidental music from Bizet's Suite l'Arlesienne.

The scene is the garden before the castle of a medieval nobleman. In the dusk of evening a troop of village children come frolicking into the garden, playing hot hand and other Italian games. They are followed by the elders returning homeward from the fields with hoe and adz and bundles of fagots. There come a girl leading an old blind man trembling on his stick, a lovelorn couple, a father and mother with their baby, and a hoary Father Time with his scythe.

As the villagers pause in the garden the grand ladies of the castle appear in their velvets and floating laces. They are greeting the homely throng as the lord of the estate arrives with his huntsmen, between two of whom a buck is suspended from a pole. One holds up a hare as a trophy of the chase. The solemn kisses his lady's hand, the women of the castle slip some coins into the blind beggar's hand, and the party turn toward the palace, while the villagers plod on their way.

Those who took part in this scene are:

Miss Margaret Augur,	Mr. William Boissevain,
Miss Margaret Ayer,	Mr. Theodore A. Breuer,
Miss Eleanor Brown,	Mr. Edwin I. Gardner,
Miss George W. Cobb,	Mr. Uri Grannis,
Miss Howard Elting,	Mr. Henry B. Harvey,
Miss Natalie Fairbank,	Mr. George S. Jackson,
Miss Ariel Frost,	Mr. Maurice Mason,
Miss Lucile Frost,	Mr. Lawrence Rea,
Miss Uri Grannis,	Mr. Hopewell Rogers,
Miss Margaret Hunt,	Mr. Douglas Street,
Miss George Ingalls,	Mr. Russell Tyson,
Miss Joseph Winterham Jr.	Mr. Joseph Lowell White
Miss Laird Bell,	Mr. Theodore T. Whitney Jr.,
Miss Arthur Bissell,	Eight boys.

Scene Set for Les Erinnyes.

While the gentlemanly scene shifters now struggled anew with Agamemnon's tomb the orchestra played Chopin's Polonaise in A major and Liszt's Rhapsody No. 2 in F. Then came the scene from Massenet's Les Erinnyes.

In the center of the stage is seen the tomb of Agamemnon, king of Mycenæ, who was murdered by his wife, Clytemnestra. At the left is a Grecian temple. As the funereal measures of the music well forth Clytemnestra, impersonated by Mrs. Francis Taylor, draws aside the curtains of the temple and steps forth. Clad in her black vestments she takes her stand upon the temple steps, while the chorus issues from within in solemn procession.

In simple girdled robes of white, with their hair bound in golden fillets, the maidens advance in twos, slowly raising their arms as they pass around the tomb. Now come four garland bearers, who with festoons of roses slowly approach and deck the tomb with their offering. They are succeeded by the libation bearers, three maidens carrying on their shoulders each a Grecian urn.

Now the music takes on a more sepulchral tone as Electra, in a simple gown of purple stuff, descends the steps of the temple and awesomely approaches the tomb. With bowed head she advances until, before the sarcophagus, she slowly raises her face to the heavens with beseeching, outstretched arms. The music now is all the soft strains of the violins as Electra turns and receives the urn from the first of the libation bearers. In solemn but loving pantomime she glides about the sepulcher, pouring forth the libation to the dead. Twice she repeats the rite, and then, with a parting profession of reverence, Electra leads the procession back to the temple.

Mrs. Sturges and Mrs. Taylor were assisted in this scene by the following:

Libation bearers—Mrs. Arnold Scudder, Mrs. Herbert S. Stone, Miss Helen Bull.

Garland bearers—Mrs. Hubert Galt, Mrs. Albert Keep II., Mrs. Prentiss Coonley, Mrs. Edwin W. Ryerson.

Chorus—Mrs. Arthur Bissell, Mrs. Mather Smith, Mrs. C. F. Paxton, Mrs. Henry Hubbard, Miss Phoebe McCormick, Miss Annie Rogers, Miss Ethel Wrenn, Miss Gertrude Marshall.

Jack Frost in Summer.

The final pantomime, "Jack Frost in Summertime," the one strictly original number on the program, was a fitting climax to the evening's entertainment. The work is the joint work of Joseph Lindon Smith and Edward Burlingame Hill, both of Boston.

The scene was laid in a garden at midnight. On a darkened stage a wandering spot light, which might have represented the rays of the moon, caught sight of a monster toad which with solemn dignity wandered down in the direction of the footlights. A moment later it was joined by a dainty moth, a light and airy creature which flitted about aimlessly until it caught sight of the toad, and instantly was fascinated. Fascination soon developed into infatuation with the moth, and caressingly it made its advances to the reptile.

Then one by one, led by Miss Pauline Kohlsaat as a great pink rose, half a score of flowers appeared timidly behind a garden wall. In an ecstasy of joy, the moth, Mrs. Juliette Barrett Rubien, danced for them, a dance which made one of the hits of the evening.

Jack Frost suddenly appeared in the center of the funmaking. The winds blew dismally and the flowers shook with the cold. Even the moth was chilled and disappeared. In a wild, frenzied dance, in the midst of snow and frost, Jack Frost caused the flowers to droop, and changed the summer scene to one of winter. Then at the height of his orgy, Summer, impersonated by Miss Ethel Hooper, advanced, and Jack Frost, crushed and beaten, fell back and disappeared. At a wave of Summer's hand the drooping flowers were resuscitated and happiness reigned once more in the garden.

It was announced that while the house was practically sold out for last night, there will be plenty of seats available tonight. The prices range from 50 cents to $5.

SOCIETY IN HOUSE, ON STAGE.

Boxes and Main Floor Filled with Interesting Parties—Many Costumes of Black.

With society on both sides of the footlights the first families of the city were much in evidence. The boxes and house were filled with interesting parties.

In the boxes were many of the visitors now in the city. Mrs. Bryan Lathrop had as her guests Miss Mildred Barnes of Boston and Miss Elizabeth Perkins of New York, and Mrs. Richard Harding Davis was with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Clark. Mrs. Lathrop wore a gown of black velvet trimmed with white duchesse lace, her jewels being opals and diamonds. Mrs. Clark wore pale blue satin, trimmed with gold lace and pearls, and Mrs. Davis was in a mauve chiffon trimmed with sequins. Miss Barnes was dainty in a gown of pink panne velvet, with which she wore amethysts, and Miss Perkins wore flowered chiffon trimmed with gold lace.

Mrs. W. W. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meeker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGann, and Mrs. David Cooke formed an interesting box party, Mrs. Kimball wearing a gown of gray chiffon with silver sequins and chenille for trimming. She wore her dog collar of pearls. Mrs. McGann wore a gown of white lace over pale yellow, the princess effect of the gown heightened by the long panels of jet which reached from shoulder to hem of the costume. Mrs. Meeker's gown was a beautiful creation of white lace over deep yellow, and she wore a cerise velvet wrap.

Mrs. Franklin MacVeagh, wearing sapphire blue gauze over silk and spangled in gold, wore her famous diamond and pearl necklace and a scarf of ermine and Irish point lace. Her guests, Mrs. Gordon Dexter and Mrs. Francis Leggett of New York, were with her. Mrs. Dexter wearing pompadour silk in colors of cream and rose. The gown was trimmed in duchesse lace and she wore a jet dog collar. Mrs. Leggett's costume was of black lace with trimming of Venetian lace, embroidered in gold thread.

Of the other gowns seen in the boxes Mrs. R. Hall McCormick wore black net spangled with silver and made over white satin. Mrs. E. E. Ayer had a gown of white painted silk, with which she wore a rope of pearls and an ostrich feather boa.

Mrs. Arthur Ely was in black spangled net, made empire, over black satin. She wore a necklace of diamonds. Mrs. Frank Gorton's gown was of black net, made empire, over a bodice of cream lace. Mrs. William G. Beale wore a costume of rose satin in empire style, with cream lace. A rope of pearls was worn with this gown also. Mrs. Martin Ryerson wore pale blue satin, and Mrs. R. T. Crane wore a pale gray crêpe trimmed in sequins and lace. With this Mrs. Crane wore a gorgeous cloak of Irish point lace trimmed in sable.

Mrs. H. N. Higinbotham's gown was of black crêpe de chine, with which a marabout boa was worn. Miss Elsie McCormick's costume was of black spangled net trimmed with duchesse lace and white chiffon undersleeves. Miss Alice Runnells was stunning in a plain white satin gown. Mrs. Lockwood Honoré wore black spangled net, with duchesse lace and white chiffon. Mrs. Watson Blair relieved the number of black costumes by wearing a gown of cerise velvet, with shoulder straps of cream lace and a necklace of pearls and diamonds.

The fancy for black this season is most noticeable. Mrs. Marshall Field and her sister, Mrs. Augustus Eddy, both in second mourning, had with them Miss Helen Birch, also in second mourning, so this box party was not relieved by a single light gown. Mrs. Field's gown was of black tulle, with which she wore her pearls, and Mrs. Eddy wore black tulle and lace. Miss Birch was in a dull black gown, simply made, and wore no ornaments. Mrs. Harold McCormick, who sat in a nearby box, wore white satin heavily braided, and Mrs. George S. Isham was in a white net emoroidered in gold. Mrs. G. A. Carpenter, who sat with Mrs. Isham, wore white net with silver dots.

Among the early arrivals were Mrs. E. J. Martyn and her débutante daughter, Miss Dorothy Martyn. Mrs. Martyn wore black net over white, banded in black velvet. Miss Martyn was in a gown of white silk, girlishly made. Over this she wore a long white fur cloak with a hood and muff of ermine. Just above the muff she carried a huge bouquet of violets and a single purple orchid. Her hair was done low on her neck, with short curls falling over white bows.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Hooper, whose daughter was in the performance, came early. Mrs. Hooper wearing white satin. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Patterson, the latter wearing yellow satin, were in the audience, and Mrs. Edward A. Leicht, wearing white broadcloth trimmed in ermine and a cloak of white broadcloth and scarlet velvet, had with her her mother, Mrs. Madlener, in white lace and black velvet.

Others in the house were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Williams Jr., the latter in pale blue crêpe; Mr. and Mrs. George H. High, Mrs. High wearing pale yellow crêpe; Mrs. C. D. Hamlin, W. C. Larned Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Warren Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dempster, Prince and Princess Engalitcheff, Mr. and Mrs. La Verne W. Noyes, the latter in black striped white chiffon and lace; Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Hotz, Miss Bessie Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Chatfield-Taylor, the latter in white embroidered silk and silver slippers; and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Calhoun, Mrs. Calhoun wearing pale blue chiffon.

Most of the box hostesses gave dinners before the performance.

Costumes seen in the boxes and on the main floor follow:

A.

Adams, Mrs. E. S.—Black velvet décolleté gown with baby Irish lace in bolero effect.

Arnold, Mrs. Alice—Rose colored crêpe de chine embroidered in dots, bodice embroidered in same shade; wine colored satin picture hat with plume of same color.

B.

Baker, Miss, of New York—Black lace gown, décolleté, jet trimmings.

Barrett, Mrs. S. E.—Ivory silk, décolleté.

Bartlett, Mrs. F. C.—Black net gown; diamonds.

Birch, Miss Helen—Dull black gown; no ornaments.

Blair, Miss Anita—Pale blue crêpe with pearl trimmings and lace.

Butler, Mrs. Edward B.—Pale pink velvet appliqued with white roses; dog collar of pearls.

C.

Carpenter, Mrs. Augustus A. Jr.—White satin, décolleté; diamonds.

Cooke, Mrs. David—Pale blue satin gown trimmed in gold braid.

Cunningham, Miss Margaret—Pale blue crêpe embroidered in white.

F.

Field, Mrs. Marshall—Black tulle, jet trimmed; pearls.

G.

Gary, Mrs. John W.—Black and white striped gown, overwaist of white lace, trimmed with heavy bands of velvet.

Gary, Mrs. F. E.—Shell pink gown trimmed in lace and heavily embroidered; rope of pearls.

Giessner, Mrs. J. J.—Pale blue brocaded silk gown, bodice of white, heavy lace.

H.

Hasler, Mrs. E. L.—Black silk velvet princess gown, with duchesse lace, corals, and black picture hat.

Hutchinson, Mrs. C. L.—Gown of gray chiffon.

J.

Johnston, Mrs. Morris L.—Ivory satin, décolleté.

Johnston, Mrs. Hugh—Pale blue silk with orchids.

Johnson, Mrs. F. S.—Cream empire gown of lace, corsage bouquet of violets; rope of pearls.

Jones, Miss Gwethalyn—Light blue broadcloth with picture hat of brown lace, brown plumes.

Jones, Miss Winifred—Street suit of dark blue broadcloth.

K.

Kirk, Mrs. Arrick—Spangled net black trimmed with duchesse lace over white chiffon.

Keep, Miss—Rose pink silk gown with overdress of chiffon in smoke color; pearl necklace.

L.

Lee, Mrs. Blewett—Black chiffon velvet gown, bodice of cream lace trimmed with blue and pink silk.

Linn, Mrs. William R.—Black lace gown trimmed in sequins; black hat trimmed with black osprey and black tulle.

Lyon, Mrs. Thomas R.—Black dotted net gown over black taffeta, yoke of cream point lace, gown trimmed with cream lace, rope of diamonds.

M.

McCormick, Miss Elsie—Black spangled net décolleté gown with duchesse lace and white chiffon undersleeves.

R.

Ryerson, Mrs. Martin A.—Pale blue satin with marabou boa and pearls.

S.

Sprague, Mrs. A. A.—Black silk chiffon gown, small hat of white lace, two large black plumes; sable furs.

Schwarz, Mrs. Herbert—Black lace and chiffon with white lace; pearls.

Stock, Mrs. Frederick—Pale blue silk gown trimmed in white heavy lace.

Spoor, Mrs. J. A.—Pale blue silk gown with overdress of cream lace, spangled in silver and caught with bunches of violets; pearl necklace.

T.

Talbot, Miss—Mouse colored gown of chiffon, embroidered in same shade, bodice trimmed in heavy cream lace; necklace of pearls.

SEEIN' THINGS AT NIGHT—THE MUSICAL VIEW.

BY W. L. HUBBARD.

To the patron of the regular concerts of the Thomas orchestra, the evening was interesting in that it became a kind of visualization of scenes which familiar orchestral selections had called up before the mind's eye many times in the past. The dance of Anitra before Peer Gynt, the merry making pictured tonally by Bizet in his "L'Arlesienne" Suite, the funeral ceremonies about the tomb of Agamemnon—these have been seen in fancy time and time again as the orchestra played them in concert.

Last night the fancies took visible form and were realized—realized as nearly as romantic scenes the imagination has drawn ever are realized, and as nearly as the performers and the settings used last night made possible.

Musical art nowadays is tending more and more toward the painting of pictures. We live in an age crazed for illustration, and all our arts are becoming story telling arts in consequence. The undertaking last evening was, therefore, fully in keeping with the present day and its tendencies, and its success is the best possible proof of how wisely the promoters of the benefit for the orchestra had planned.

Had they engaged the most noted soloists now before the public and offered a concert the finest the Thomas orchestra can give, they would not have been able to reap such a financial harvest for the cause as did the entertainment they arranged for last evening. The thousands of dollars spent in preparation were well invested, for a program along purely art lines could not have commanded such prices as society was willing to pay to see itself illustrate musical compositions. The cause was the most worthy possible. The financial success of the evening is, therefore, subject for heartiest satisfaction to all concerned.

The music itself was familiar, save that which Edward Burlingame Hill had written for the "Jack Frost" scene. Mr. Stock and the music committee had chosen with great acumen. They put on the list selections not only popular and familiar but such as was good to talk against. There were a few numbers like the Liszt second Rhapsody and the Chopin Polonaise that were noisy, but they have such swing and verve that they are heard with patience and pleasure, and the pauses they compelled were the more welcome since the other selections that had preceded and followed them were lightly scored compositions — the Mendelssohn "Spring Song," the Handel Largo, the Hellmesberger "Ball Scene," and the German "Henry VIII. Suite"—and, like the entr'actes at the play, served as excellent stimulus for sociability and small talk.

The orchestra men and Mr. Stock gave of their best powers, for they were working for a cause they were enthusiastic concerning, but they were by no means the central feature of last evening. They were but the accompaniment, and were placed accordingly in public esteem and attention.

That they were not heard to best advantage is true, for the dropping of them into the parquet in front of the stage threw them entirely out of the acoustic center of the hall, and strange and surprising effects were unavoidable. The "Ball Scene" and the "Scene Religieuse" were the most satisfactory features of the evening so far as the musical achievement was concerned.

The "Jack Frost" was the novelty of the evening and, after the "Scene Religieuse," was pictorially the most beautiful and the most successful of the entertainment. The back center of the stage was occupied by an archway rising supposedly above a fountain. On either side extended marble structures which were a little high for a seat and a little low for a shelf. Above these rose masses of green foliage.

As the moonlight was thrown on the garden a large frog came hopping into sight. He came froggily forward to the front of the stage and looked as though he were heading straight for Mr. Stock or were about to dive into the orchestral pit. But it was the spotlight he was after, and he gazed fondly and longingly at it.

Then came a gauzy winged moth and fluttered about the scene. She spied the frog and rushed from him in dismay, but then, taking courage, approached him, and the more she gazed the more enamored she became. She stroked and caressed him, tickling his back and sides, and finally feeding him. He accepted all these purely physical attentions graciously, but when she began protestations of her affections he waved her aside, and as she stood weeping hopped lumberingly off behind the shrubbery. Then the little moth threw herself onto the marble structure and was dissolved in tears.

But up over the green came the flowers—one at a time—first on one side and then on the other. They were lovely blooms, the handsomest seen in the course of the evening. They nodded and smiled, and everybody in the audience envied the little moth when she fluttered up in front of them and kissed them. Then the moth danced for them, and the blooms all nodded and swayed in sympathy if not exactly in time with her.

But suddenly a chill swept over them. They shuddered and shook and Jack Frost, all glittering and white, came springing in and scattered silver dust profusely about the stage, and after having kissed the flowers threw dust over them, too, and they sank down frozen and faint.

Then after a wild dance of glee Jack Frost chanced to see the moth and he rushed for her. She tried to elude him, but he caught her and she, too, sank under his freezing embrace. But out of the fountain came Summer, the beautiful and beneficent, and she, driving Jack Frost from the scene, revived the flowers, bade them sink to sleep one by one, and, warming the moth into life, stood smiling upon the scene as the spotlight went out.

The subject is a pretty one and well suited for such pictorial illustration as was being used last evening.

Mr. Joseph Lindon Smith, who is at least part author of the scenario for this pantomime, appeared as the frog and later as Jack Frost. He had a capital makeup for the former and evidently, like the true artist and actor, had devoted long hours to the enthusiastic study of the garden frog.

Only such study could bring such faultless imitation. The work done told of the artist enthusiastic and conscientious, and the audience, keenly alive to all art values, hailed with acclaim every wiggle, every quiver, every kick of hind leg or wave of front one that that froggie in the garden made. It really was an unusually neat imitation and merited the approval it won. Later, as Jack Frost, the pantomimist showed himself a lively dancer and a hard worker.

The music Mr. Hill has supplied for the illustrating of this garden fantasy would scarce have been written had not one Richard Wagner composed the "Ring of the Nibelungen." Or, if it had, the world would now have set "Jack Frost" as one of the epoch making creations of the age and Edward Burlingame Hill would stand where Richard Wagner now stands among the master geniuses of the world. The Bostonian came after Wagner, however, and therefore "Jack Frost" can be described only as a pleasing, scholarly piece of writing along pronouncedly Wagnerian lines.

"Forest Murmurs," from "Siegfried," the march of the giants from "Rheingold," the lumbering movement of Fafner, the dragon—these and countless other familiar pages from Wagner's great trilogy has found skillful translation into Mr. Hill's score. His whole idiom is Wagnerian, and yet he has so combined and written the different parts that he has produced a composition that is heard with pleasure and interest and that is effective and well illustrative of the scene it accompanies.

Eames MacVeagh as Peer Gynt in "Living Music" Spectacle; Miss Marjory Chisholm in the Character of Anitra.

[From a photograph taken last night for THE TRIBUNE.]

BOXES ARE ALL OCCUPIED.

Names of the People Who Watched the Performance from the Long Tier.

The boxes were all filled. Following are the names of the people in each box:

Box A—Mr. De Forrest Hulburd, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnston, Miss Anita Blair, Miss Elizabeth Cunningham, and Mr. Carroll Ridgway.

Box B—Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Crane Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harlow N. Higinbotham, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schwarz, Mr. Joseph Medill Patterson.

Box C—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dick, Miss Mabel Dick, Miss Wells, Mr. Bradford Wells, and Mr. George Burke.

Box D—Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Linn, Mr. Edward Bennett, and Mr. Marvin Pool.

Box E—Mrs. W. W. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meeker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGann, and Mrs. David Cooke.

Box F—Mrs. Thomas R. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gary, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gary, Miss Saeger.

Box G—Mrs. Arthur Ely, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gorton, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Beale, Miss Comstock.

Box H—Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Ayer, Mrs. F. S. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Burnham, Mr. Edward Johnson.

Box I—Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Barrett, Miss Adele Barrett, Mr. Robert Barrett, Miss Hill, Miss Baker of New York.

Box J—Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Morris L. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus A. Carpenter Jr.

Box K—Mrs. Marshall Field, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Eddy, Miss Helen Birch.

Box L—Mr. and Mrs. Watson Blair, Mrs. John A. Spoor, Miss Keep, Mr. Ryerson, and Mr. Robert R. McCormick.

Box M—Mr. and Mrs. John J. Giessner, Mrs. Frederick Stock, Mrs. Tramonti, Mrs. Blewett Lee, Mr. George Giessner of Springfield, O.

Box N—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sprague, Mrs. Alice Arnold, Miss Atwood, Miss Talbot, Prof. Breta.

Box O—Mr. and Mrs. Martin A. Ryerson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bartlett, Mr. J. W. Hutchinson.

Box P—Mr. and Mrs. John M. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Lathrop, Miss Mildred Barnes, Miss Elizabeth Perkins of New York, Mrs. Richard Harding Davis.

Box Q—Judge and Mrs. Lockwood Honoré, Mrs. Arrick Kirk, Capt. Mott, Mr. Ben Cable, and Mr. Adrian Honoré.

Box R—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin MacVeagh, Mrs. Gordon Dexter of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Francis H. Leggett.

Box S—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Birch, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hasler.

Box T—Mr. and Mrs. R. Hall McCormick, Miss Elsie McCormick, Mrs. Edward S. Adams, Miss Runnells, and Mr. G. S. Sabetta.

Box U—Mr. David B. Jones, Misses Gwethalyn and Winifred Jones.

Box V—Dr. and Mrs. George S. Isham, Judge and Mrs. George A. Carpenter, and Miss Gifford.

Box W—Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Crane, Mr. R. T. Crane III.

PAGEANT VIVANT GAINS $17,444

Net Profit of the Two Nights' Entertainment for Crippled Children's Home.

The management of the Convalescent Home for Destitute Crippled Children reported yesterday that the returns from the "Pageant Vivant" entertainment are as follows:

Gross receipts	$20,790.60
Disbursements	3,354.81
Net receipts	$17,444.79

YOUNG GIRLS MAKE CHARGES AGAINST THEATRICAL AGENT.

William F. Henderson, 92 La Salle Street, Arrested on Complaint of Ida Parker and Evelyn Krouse.

William F. Henderson, manager of a theatrical agency, 92 La Salle street, was arrested last evening on charges preferred against him by Ida Parker, 18 years old, and Evelyn Krouse, 19 years old.

According to the young women, who said they were orphans, Henderson told them he would send them to a show which was playing at a theater in Springfield. He asked them to give up their positions in a department store and to come to his office the following day, when he would have their transportation.

When they returned the following afternoon Henderson gave them railroad tickets to Springfield and invited them to have dinner with him. They said he took them to a downtown hotel and ordered dinner taken to a room he rented. While in the room, the young women declared, Henderson attacked them and they were forced to fight their way out.

They left the same night for Springfield, and from the proprietor of a boarding house they learned of the character of the theater, which is said to be a wineroom and disorderly resort. They appealed to the police of Springfield and were given transportation to Chicago.

ROBBED OF HIS OVERCOAT IN THE SHADOW OF CHURCH.

Charles M. Nichols Held Up as He Left Grace Methodist Edifice After Attending Meeting of Trustees.

A few minutes after he had left the Grace Methodist Episcopal church at 10 o'clock last night, and almost within the shadow of the edifice, Charles M. Nichols, a trustee of the church, was held up in La Salle avenue by two young men and robbed of his overcoat and $3.

"Take off that coat," were the words that startled Mr. Nichols as he was walking north in La Salle avenue on the way to his home, at 450 Wells street. As Nichols started to obey one of the men modified the first command with the words, "Keep on walking while taking off the overcoat."

With one of the holdup men on each side of him, Nichols obeyed the latter injunction and at the end of a block turned the overcoat over to the robbers. While he was doing this the other man went through his pockets and took the money.

With a warning not to follow them, the two young men hastened north in La Salle avenue. Several detectives were assigned to the case, but no arrests were made.

WHITE OAK AND VIOLET WIN.

Pupils of Illinois Schools Choose Them as the Native Tree and Flower.

Rochelle, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Pupils of the public schools of Illinois by their votes have chosen the purple violet as the native state flower and the white oak as the native state tree.

The white oak received 21,320 votes. The maple tree is second with 16,089 votes. The purple violet received 15,951 votes, and the wild rose is second with 11,903. The elm and golden rod occupy third place.

Mrs. James C. Fesler and Supt. C. E. Joiner of Rochelle conducted the voting contest. The vote has been canvassed by the following tellers: Mrs. M. D. Hathaway, Mrs. Susan Cass, and Mrs. Josephine Barker of Rochelle. The ballots numbered 49,959.

RESORT TO FRAUD HAS END IN CELLS

Forgers Admit They Erred to Be "Good Fellow" or Prepare for Wedding.

ONE GOT COIN FOR WIFE.

Charles B. Gibson, One of Men Arrested, Says He Is a Graduate of Stanford.

Forgery and fraud for varied ends—to be a "good fellow," to get money for a wedding, to provide a wife with shopping money, to assist a newsboys' benefit society—filled four cells in Chicago police stations yesterday. The accused men—college graduate, clerk, newsboy—are as follows:

CHARLES J. GIBSON, 30 years old, says he is a graduate of Stanford university; accused of being short in his accounts with his late employers, Marsh & McLennan, insurance brokers, and of having secured $800 from Dan Wall, a saloonkeeper, on checks to which the name of the manager of the insurance firm had been signed.

ROBERT A. WARD, clerk for American Express company; accused of forging certificate of stock to get money for wedding.

H. J. MULVIHILL, accused of forging a check for $4.50 to get money for his wife on shopping tour.

DANIEL WHALEN, newsboy, 25 years old; accused of working confidence game in soliciting money for Newsboys' Benefit society.

Good Fellow for a While.

Gibson was a "good fellow," he says, while his money lasted. When that ran out he kept on trying to be a good fellow on other people's money, and that is why he was arrested on charges of forgery and larceny.

In a note which he sent to his employers after they dispensed with his services on Dec. 30 Gibson said he wanted to make a clean breast of the entire affair. He said he had spent his money with a lot of "good fellows" who frequented Dearborn street saloons; also that he had lost much money playing poker in a downtown hotel. What he had left after these diversions went for auto rides with young women.

"I took about $1,284 belonging to the firm," said Gibson. "The checks which I gave Dan Wall will be paid in full. I hope to pay back the firm all I took from it. I have wealthy relatives who will probably assist me in my trouble. I was a "good fellow" while the money lasted.

"My money is gone now. I have been the rounds, and now I must suffer unless my relatives come to my aid. Persons who were my friends when I had money have turned me down. Let me get out of this and I will return to my wife. She left me less than six weeks ago because of my habits and went to her home in Warsaw, Ind."

Gibson, the police say, was arrested in San José, Cal., about two years ago on a charge of forgery, but was acquitted. The police also say he was arrested four years ago for robbing a hardware firm which employed him as a bookkeeper in Chicago.

Bridegroom-Elect a Forger.

Rather than be "broke" on his wedding day Ward tried forgery, and as a result found himself last night in a cell at the Harrison street station. He confessed that he had forged the name of Mrs. Julia Markstein, Hamburg, Germany, to a certificate of stock for twenty-five shares of Swift & Co., valued at $2,050. He said he did it so he could use the money as security for a loan of $250 which he was compelled to make in order to make payment on a note. He added that he was about to be married to Miss Theresa Desmond, 5624 Carpenter street, and wished to start out clear of debts.

When locked in a cell Ward pleaded that no word of his arrest be given to his parents, who live at 5528 Union avenue, or to his fiancée.

"If they learn of this," he said, "I shall never be able to make amends and all my plans will have fallen to ruin. I did nothing because I wished to do wrong, but because circumstances forced me to help myself and I used the only means presented to me. If I am allowed to go no one shall lose by my act. I shall make everything right."

Captured After a Chase.

Mulvihill was captured after a chase down Custom house court from L. Doussang's saloon, 122 Jackson boulevard. John W. Marksbury, 4544 St. Lawrence avenue, made the capture. He said Mulvihill, being on a shopping tour with his wife and running out of money, had forged an order for $4.50, bearing his name, and presented it at the Associated Press offices in the Western Union building, where Mulvihill is employed. As the two men had been seen together, Marksbury having befriended Mulvihill, it was thought to be all right. Later Marksbury discovered the forgery, and found Mulvihill in the saloon.

The charge against Whalen was made by Frank B. Solin, manager of the Chicago Job Press company, 11 South Water street.

GARY IS DARK AND THIRSTY; LIGHT AND WATER MISSING.

Disabling of Plant Causes Discomfort Among Residents and Prices of Candles and Lamps Advance.

Gary, Ind., with its 25,000 population, is suffering a water and light famine. The water works pumping station and electric light power plant, which is in reality one plant, went out of commission Saturday afternoon, and Supt. William Lisconde said the repairs could not be completed before tomorrow. Meanwhile the town is without protection against fire.

As there is no gas in the town, the only means of lighting for the last two nights have been lamps and candles

PRESIDENT AIMS AT PEACE IN NAVY

Contemplates Thorough Reorganization of Department to Prevent Clashes,

BROWNSON NOTE PUBLIC.

House Committee on Naval Affairs May Cut $25,000,000 from Appropriation.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—President Roosevelt contemplates taking action for a thorough reorganization of the navy department. His instruction to Secretary Metcalf to have Rear Admiral Converse, former chief of the bureau of navigation, report the exact facts regarding conditions connected with the naval administration was preliminary to action designed to put an end to frequent controversies which occur between bureau chiefs.

Not again, if he can help it, will there be the spectacle of two bureau officers, such as Rear Admiral Brownson and Surgeon General Rixey, engaging in a dispute about a technical question, which ends with one of them resigning his office. The president proposes that there shall be coördination between the different bureaus, and it may be that he will present to congress certain projects of reform for enactment into law.

Brownson Letter Made Public.

The president disposed of the Brownson incident by making public this afternoon the letter of resignation addressed to him by Rear Admiral Brownson. The letter of the admiral shows that he tendered his resignation because he considered the president had lost confidence in his judgment, and because he believed the military efficiency of the fleet would be damaged by what he considered an unlawful order of the president assigning medical officers to command hospital ships. There was some talk in congress of pressing for passage a resolution calling upon the president for all of the correspondence connected with the incident, and this may yet be done.

Representative Foss, chairman of the house naval committee, has just prepared a bill for the reorganization of the navy department, which is designed to remove friction, reduce the amount of red tape, and decrease the expense in connection with the construction and repair of men of war. This bill has no connection, of course, with the Brownson controversy, but it was said by several members that should it be offered and considered they would amend it so as to overturn the policy inaugurated by President Roosevelt with respect to the new duty given to medical officers. Mr. Foss' bill provides simply for a consolidation of the bureaus of equipment, steam engineering, and construction, and places the single bureau under the charge of a chief constructor.

It is believed Mr. Foss will improve his bill before its introduction by providing also for the organization of a personnel bureau, and placing all matters relating to accounts, requisitions, purchases, etc., under the assistant secretary.

Department Asks $125,000,000.

The naval committee of the house will begin tomorrow the consideration of the naval appropriation bill. The estimates submitted by the secretary of the navy amount to $125,000,000. This immense sum is said to be absolutely required in order properly to operate the fleet, but it is extremely doubtful if the committee will recommend more than $100,000,000.

Just as the committee is about to consider the bill a communication has been received from Robert S. Waddell, president of the Buckeye Powder company, urging liberal appropriations for the extension of the navy powder factory at Indian Head, Md., and of a powder factory at Dover, N. J. Mr. Waddell repeats his attack upon the powder monopoly. At the same time he believes with the joint army and navy board that purchases from all private manufacturers should be continued to a limited degree.

Mr. Waddell says the battle fleet and fortifications would be useless without a sufficient supply of powder to keep them in action. He cites the fact that at the outbreak of the Spanish war the United States had no smokeless powder that could be used.

Had to Make Machinery.

When the war was declared orders were immediately placed for additional machinery, and several machine shops worked night and day, Sundays included, to make it. All this machinery was installed in this one plant, and was subject to destruction by explosion. Both the army and navy used brown and black powder in the Spanish war. In the Russo-Japanese conflict, Mr. Waddell points out that the Russians had in action 1,600 guns, and the Japanese nearly as many.

By far the greatest amount of ammunition expended during that war was burned by the artillery in the field. All this powder was of the smokeless variety. It is imperative, in Mr. Waddell's judgment, that there should be an ample supply of smokeless powder on hand, both for the army and fleet. He also insists that every form of monopoly in the manufacture of powder, used in public defense of the nation and lives and property of its citizens, should be eliminated.

Why Brownson Resigned.

Rear Admiral Brownson's letter of resignation as chief of the navigation bureau of the navy department, made public today, with the explanation that it "was inadvertently omitted" from the correspondence, is as follows:

Sir—In April last I was detached by your order from the command of the United States Asiatic fleet and ordered to Washington and appointed chief of the most important bureau in the navy department, the bureau which under the secretary is charged with matters relating to the personnel, the discipline, and the efficiency of the fleet.

This transfer from a command which ranks second in importance afloat to one which is second to none on shore, coming on the eve of my retirement from active service, while not to my personal liking, was deeply gratifying to me, as it appeared to be an evidence of your confidence in my professional ability.

In order, however, that any efforts of mine to maintain a high standard of efficiency and discipline in the service be attended with success it is absolutely essential that I should have the confidence of the service at large as well as that of higher authority. The efficiency of the fleet can only be maintained when the officers and men feel that the chief of the bureau of navigation has the confidence of the commander in chief of the army and navy, and when a strong military spirit exists in the service. Anything that shows a lack of confidence or that tends to break down this military spirit, which has been the safeguard and principal asset of the navy since its beginning, can but impair such efficiency.

Opposed to Law's Intent.

The recent order placing a medical officer in command of a hospital ship is, in my opinion, and as I have endeavored on several occasions to point out to you, clearly opposed to the intent of the law; is a radical departure from established naval usage and is fraught with danger to the efficiency of the fleet; will tend, I believe, to break down the military spirit of the service, and shows a want of your confidence in my advice regarding a matter so vital to the best interests of the service. I am left, therefore, with no alternative but to tender my resignation as chief of the bureau of navigation, much as I regret to sever my active connection with the service to which I have been devoted and to which I have given my best efforts for over forty-six years.

WILLARD H. BROWNSON, Chief of Bureau.
The President.

SENATE HAS CURE FOR MONEY ILLS.

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deposited by banks taking out circulation under the emergency system.

There was a disposition in the senate at one time to make use of clearing houses in determining when the emergency circulation should be issued and what banks should have it. Some senators did not like to put into the hands of the secretary of the treasury the right to determine the issue of circulation. It was feared this might create a vast political engine which could be used to help or hinder certain banks, according to the whim of the administration at that particular time. On the other hand, it was found impossible to recognize the clearing house associations as possessing any official character. They differ greatly in different cities, and, besides that, certain country banks belong to no association and could not be compelled to join one.

Currency Board Necessary.

It was decided, therefore, to create a currency board and to make up its membership from the secretary of the treasury, the chief financial officer of the government, who is a responsible cabinet officer; the controller of the currency, who has personal supervision of national banks and whose tenure of office is so nearly permanent that he can be removed only by impeachment; and the treasurer of the United States, who is the executive fiscal officer of the department. Assisting them will be the subtreasuries.

This system is to be utilized to the fullest extent. The assistant treasurers, located in great commercial centers like Chicago, St. Louis, and New York, have such intimate relations with the banks that they ought to be able to determine when and where the need of currency is the greatest and when and where the necessity for its use has ceased. They will not have a deciding voice, but will act in an advisory capacity and will furnish the general treasury department here in Washington with the necessary data, covering not only the financial situation in that section but making special reports upon the local securities offered as a basis for circulation.

Securities Will Be Ample.

So far from the new emergency currency being in the nature of asset notes, it will be based upon securities good enough to justify the investment of savings bank funds in the most conservative states in the country. These securities will include state, county, and municipal evidences of indebtedness, of the type usually approved by the savings bank authorities of New York and Massachusetts, including what is usually known as the savings bank list. This may be extended to take in railroad bonds which have paid interest for a certain length of time, and possibly even street traction securities.

It is evident that in an indirect way this extension of the use of such securities ought to make them a trifle more valuable. At first it may be difficult for the government board to keep closely in touch with the value of general bonds offered as security for circulation, but after a little while the list ought to be as accurate and as easily understood as that of the New York stock exchange.

It will be seen of course that the new emergency circulation, if it is finally authorized by congress in the form in which it has been tentatively drawn up tonight, will add a vast deal to the general currency without anything at all in the nature of a jar to our present system. If a bank fails which happens to have out some of this circulation, the holder does not have to scrutinize his note to find out whether it is good or not, as was the case in the old wildcat days. The note is as good as ever it was, whether the bank goes into liquidation or not. The government merely disposes of the securities which were deposited in the treasury and retires the note when it comes in, or retires another and totally different note of the same denomination.

Protection for Creditors.

If the securities realize a value in excess of circulation the balance would be turned over for the benefit of the creditors of the bank the same as any other asset or equity. If the securities have diminished in value so much that they would not pay the par value of circulation, the difference would be taken from the guaranty fund created by the 6 per cent tax on all outstanding circulation of this kind. The holder of this circulation hardly would know whether his note was backed up by a government bond or by savings bank security. In either event, he would be safe from loss so long as the credit of the United States government is maintained.

If the new system becomes a law we shall then have in this country in ordinary circulation, first of all, gold certificates. They are backed up dollar for dollar by gold coin or bullion actually deposited in the United States treasury and held as a trust fund. When they are presented to the treasury they are redeemed in gold and are destroyed. They cannot be reissued unless gold is deposited. They are nothing more nor less than gold checks used as convenience, because the yellow metal is much too heavy to be carried about and used in ordinary commercial transactions.

Silver Certificate Part Fiat.

Then there will be the silver certificate. That represents always an equal number of silver dollars actually deposited in the treasury. The silver dollars are not worth par as they stand, so that part of the silver certificate is honest money and part of it is merely the credit of the government. There are some treasury notes still outstanding, but they are practically the same as silver certificates and are rapidly disappearing.

The third form of currency is the United States note or greenback. That is an unadulterated fiat currency. It is backed by nothing in the world except the credit of the United States. It is merely a note of hand promising to pay a certain sum on demand. There is behind it $150,000,000 in gold in the United States treasury, which is used as a reserve fund to be drawn upon to pay off the greenbacks and the balance of fiat in the silver certificates. There is nothing to prevent the United States, however, from destroying that reserve fund at any time it sees fit, by operation of law, although, of course, that would impair the credit of the government and probably would produce the hoarding of gold certificates.

Place of National Bank Note.

In the fourth place, in the currency system there is the national bank note. It is issued by national banks and is secured by United States bonds. A bank having bonds may secure circulation up to the par value of the bonds and the maximum of the bank's capital. The tax on this circulation is only a fraction of 1 per cent and the fund so derived is only about enough to pay all the expenses of the office of the controller of the currency in the way of supervising banks and protecting circulation. When a bank fails the government simply absorbs that amount of its circulation which was charged up to that bank, returning any balance left over after the bonds are disposed of, the usual course being for the receiver to deposit cash money to make good outstanding circulation, receiving bonds intact and disposing of them from time to time for the best interest of the creditors.

The fifth form of our currency will now be added. It will be an emergency note almost identical in appearance and wording with the national bank note. It will be secured by savings bank bonds and will be taxed at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, so that it will be constantly varying in volume, whereas other forms of currency are practically fixed in amount. The treatment of this fifth form of currency will be identical with that of the national bank note, the government guaranty protecting the purchaser.

Curiously enough, it will be seen by a little thought that the emergency circulation has better security than the national bank note, so far as the individual holder is concerned. It has back of it not only the credit of the government, but the tangible value of securities deposited, which are based upon material things and not upon the taxing power of the nation, as is the case with federal bonds.

What Causes Headache?

From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause. E. W. Grove on box. 25c.

M'EWEN TO INVADE DENEEN DISTRICT

Judge's Friends, Haneey and O'Donnell, to Precede Him in the Town of Lake.

JOINT DEBATE IS ASKED.

Young Men's League of Rockford Invites Hopkins and Mason to Talk There.

The town of Lake is the area marked for trouble on the political weather map now. This is the immediate personal territory of Gov. Deneen, and the McEwen forces, having expressed their opinion of the governor and his friend, James Pease, in the immediate personal territory of Mr. Pease, will now proceed by the shortest traveled route to express it in the town in which Mr. Deneen has his Chicago residence.

Judge McEwen is to be preceded by Patrick O'Donnell and ex-Judge Elbridge G. Haney, who will speak Thursday night in the Twenty-ninth ward, according to announcements at the McEwen headquarters. The candidate himself does not appear on the scene until next week, being billed for a week from tonight in the Thirtieth ward.

Of Course Mr. Mason Is Willing.

The Young Men's Republican league of Rockford is ambitious enough to want both Senator A. J. Hopkins and former Senator William E. Mason to appear before it in joint debate or any other style of argument and has extended invitations for an affair to be held Jan. 21. Inasmuch as Mr. Hopkins has refused persistently to recognize the fact that Mr. Mason is a candidate against him, it is expected that he will be unable to join in debate, argument, or anything else with Mr. Mason.

Plans for Bryan Banquet.

Attorney Western Starr has been made responsible for the safety and comfort of United Staates Senator Jefferson Davis on the latter's arrival in Chicago tomorrow to attend the Jackson day banquet of the Jefferson club. William Jennings Bryan, the chief guest of honor, will be in charge of Ald. William E. Dever, the toastmaster for the banquet. A reception to the guests will be given at the clubrooms during the afternoon.

Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota, who is being advertised extensively in New York as the opponent of Mr. Bryan, has sent his regrets to the club and will not be present. In declining he paid a small tribute to Mr. Bryan, saying:

"I am a sincere admirer of Mr. Bryan's personality and wonderful statesmanship and ability."

Gov. Johnson has received the indorsement of Roger C. Sullivan, so far as his platform goes.

SHERIFF DECLARES OPEN WAR ON ALL BRUTAL EXHIBITIONS.

Says Prize Fights Will Not Be Permitted at Worth or Anywhere Else in Cook County.

"Prize fighting will not be permitted at Worth or any other place in Cook county either on Sunday or any other day. Personally and officially I am opposed to all forms of brutal sport—whether chicken fighting, or dog fighting, or man fighting—and so long as I am sheriff of this county I shall take pleasure in ferreting out and suppressing all these degrading exhibitions."

Such were the uncompromising statements made yesterday by Sheriff Strassheim in announcing his decision to investigate the prize fights which have been pulled off at Worth every Sunday for the last eight weeks and which culminated last Sunday in the disgraceful slugging match between "Red" Sullivan and Jack Crispy.

Mr. Strassheim declared he would raid the Piper clubhouse next Sunday if any attempt is made to carry out the program advertised for that day.

"I have asked Chief Deputy Peters to make a thorough investigation as to which deputy should be expected to have knowledge of these violations of the law," the sheriff added. "In the event that we discover who it is I shall fire him at once off the force of deputies and keep him off during the rest of my term."

This declaration was followed up by an order issued by the sheriff to the local deputies in various parts of the county instructing them to be vigilant in their efforts to stop not only all prize fights and other allied unlawful sports but to suppress gambling in any form in which it may appear.

"I noticed in THE TRIBUNE the account of the brutal prize fight at Worth," said State's Attorney Healy. "The sheriff has the power to suppress those exhibitions, and I suppose he will exercise it. I have the power to punish the offenders, and I will do it if legal evidence that the fight occurred is submitted to me."

HELEN DIXON IS GIVEN A JOB.

Former Treasurer of Bloomington, Ill., Church, Convicted of Embezzlement, Secretary of Poultry Show.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Helen Dixon, former treasurer of the Second Christian church here, who was convicted of embezzling church funds, is serving as secretary for the Illinois poultry show, which opened its annual exhibition here today.

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FORAKER TO SEEK COURT AID

Plans Action to Prevent Holding of Primaries in Ohio.

TAFT MEN SEE A TRICK.

Say Delay, Not a Real Legal Test, Is Object of the Move.

Napoleon, O., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Senator J. B. Foraker and his friends will bring suit here to test the validity of the primaries for the indorsement of a candidate for president under the recent call of the republican state central committee. This is the senator's first effective move to counteract the victory gained by Taft when his supporters succeeded in hastening the decision of the political fight in Ohio.

Some taxpayers of Henry county, friends of the senator, will institute the suit for him. They will seek to enjoin the election officials from calling or supervising "such unlawful" primary, and also the auditor of the county from issuing any warrants for the expense of such primary, and the treasurer from paying such warrants, should any be issued.

Some of the taxpayers of the county have been stirred up by what they profess to believe to be an "unlawful expenditure of money to satisfy the desires of a few scheming politicians, in disrespect of all precedent and authority of law." These men held a secret conference here this morning, and it was decided to begin action in court the moment any act to carry out the call for primaries was made by the elections board.

Opponents of Foraker tonight declared the real object of the proposed suit was not a test of the legality of the primaries, but a scheme to get the case into court, and then block action until after Feb. 11, the date of the primaries, and thus prevent their taking place. It was said tonight that most probably the courts would regard the case as an emergency one, would advance it for immediate hearing on its merits, and would permit a temporary injunction to run long enough to stop the primaries.

State Chairman Answers Charge.

Toledo, O., Jan. 6.—Chairman Walter F. Brown of the republican state central committee today gave out an extended statement in answer to criticisms made by Senator Foraker and others of the call for primaries to select delegates to the state convention. In part Mr. Brown said:

"The principal objection made has been directed to the limitation upon the use of names of candidates for president as the heading or designation of delegate tickets. Clearly to designate a bona fide Foraker list of delegates and a bona fide list of Taft delegates upon the ballot side by side, and to permit the electors to designate their preference by placing a cross at the head of one or the other of such tickets, is to provide a primary plan which is absolutely fair to each presidential candidate, as well as to every elector."

Rescind Indorsement of Taft.

Sandusky, O., Jan. 6.—Resolutions adopted by the Erie county republican committee last March declaring for Secretary Taft as Ohio's candidate for the republican nomination for president were rescinded tonight by a vote of 15 to 6 when twenty-one out of thirty members held a stormy meeting.

The committee deposed Carl B. Clark, the local Taft leader, as chairman. The grounds for the committee's action were stated to be that the previous Taft resolutions do not represent the sentiments of the people, now that Senator Foraker is in the presidential race.

Missouri District for Taft.

Joplin, Mo., Jan. 6.—The republican congressional committee of the Fifteenth district today adopted a resolution favoring Secretary of War Taft for president.

MUNCIE'S CARS ARE RUNNING.

Chicago Strikebreakers Leave and Inexperienced Local Men Take Their Places.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Forty-three Chicago strikebreakers, who were used in the attempt to place the local street cars in operation, were deported today and their places taken by local inexperienced men. The strikers allege that Louisville strikebreakers are being used in place of the Chicago men, but Supt. Baldwin of the Union Traction company denies this. Cars ran from 9 o'clock this morning with little interference, with the exception of obstructions on the tracks. Tonight the first attempts to run cars in a week are being made.

The authorities this afternoon gave notice to A. L. Behner, first vice president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employés, the organization on strike here, that his departure from Muncie would be expected.

BUSINESS MENTION.

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Bears the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER. In use for over thirty years, and THE KIND YOU HAVE ALWAYS BOUGHT.

NO BLAME PLACED FOR BOY'S WOUNDS

Inquiry at Lincoln Asylum Proves Unguarded Radiators Only Fault.

DENY FATHER'S CHARGE.

Officials Declare They Did Not Withhold Information from Parents.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Lincoln, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—An official investigation into the injury to Frank Robert Giroux at the Illinois asylum for feeble minded children simply proved that the accident would not have occurred had the radiators been properly hooded. No one was censured, because the blame could not be definitely placed. Supt. H. G. Hardt and all his subordinates denied any information was withheld from Ben M. Giroux, the boy's father.

Several witnesses acknowledged the boy probably was unconscious as he lay upon the hot iron apparatus, and would have roasted to death had he not been rescued. Just how the accident occurred was not disclosed. The general impression is that the boy fell, but P. P. Coates, 68 years old, who had charge of Giroux's class, suggested he might have been knocked upon the radiators by other boys.

Coates recited two incidents where bigger boys knocked Giroux down when he attempted to mingle with them. He claims that, although he did not notice the boy's injury when he went on duty, he was sure the accident did not occur while he was there.

Teacher Resigns Next Day.

Coates resigned the day after the accident because, he says, Dr. C. J. F. Rochow accused him of having fallen asleep and allowed the boy to get hurt. He said the boy was feeble, and that he never heard him utter an intelligent sound.

Frank Waller, who preceded Coates on watch, said the boys get burned every week, but this was the most serious case. The witness admitted he was reprimanded several times for negligence.

Dr. Rochow, who made the initial dressing of the boy's burns, said he had not considered the wound as serious. He testified that the boy tried to pull off the bandages, and intimated that he aggravated the injury. Dr. Harriet A. Hook, in charge of the hospital, said the wound was properly treated by herself, and that the father made a mistake in taking the boy home without the care of a trained nurse. Dr. Hook said the boy had spasms frequently and she administered strychnine to stimulate his heart. Maud Weaver, the head nurse, swore the boy had six spasms on the night before he went home, and Dr. C. B. Caldwell gave corroborative testimony.

Investigators Praise Asylum Heads.

The investigators complimented Supt. Hardt on the improvements he made since assuming charge Jan. 26, 1907, and they also referred to "the safety and discipline of the institution." They declared "that the wound was properly attended and every courtesy was extended to the boy's parents."

The investigation was made by W. B. Moulton, president, and J. C. Mason, secretary of the state civil service commission; Dr. Joseph De Silva, president; and Carl F. Bartling, member of the asylum's board of trustees; and Harry S. Moore, assistant secretary of the state board of charities. William Graves, secretary of the state board, is in Chicago to interview the parents and Dr. Lambden.

William C. Graves of Springfield, executive officer of the Illinois commission of public charities, arrived at the Auditorium Annex last night. He said he would have an examination made today of the Giroux boy.

LIKE PAY AS YOU ENTER CARS.

Buffalo Passengers Receive the New Carriers of the City Railroad with Enthusiasm.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The fifty "pay as you enter" cars which were put into service by the Buffalo street railway company yesterday are proving a great success. They have been received enthusiastically by the public.

20,000 GOTHAM BABIES HUNGRY

Members of United Charities Society Plan Relief for Children Reported to Be Starving.

New York, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Members of the United Charities tonight were horrified to learn from reports of their inspectors that there are 20,000 starving babies in New York. Relief measures are being planned.

TWO WORDS END HARTJE HOPE

"Appeal Refused," Court's Answer to Pittsburger's Plea.

WIFE GETS CHANCE NOW.

Will Push Divorce Suit and Prosecution of Witnesses.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—With the two words, "appeal refused," the supreme court of Pennsylvania today put an end to Augustus Hartje's hopes of obtaining a divorce from his wife, Mary Scott Hartje, and ended on one side one of the most famous and scandalous cases Pittsburg ever sent forth.

Now it is Mrs. Hartje's turn. She said today she would fight Hartje to the limit to secure a divorce from him, and that arrests will be made at once of some of the persons who have been annoying her.

Within a short time Mrs. Hartje's suit for divorce will be called in the Common Pleas court of Allegheny county, and her attorneys declared today that sensations equal to those in the trial of her husband's suit would be brought out.

Mrs. Hartje will trace her husband's life from the time she married him, and, according to her attorneys, will show just why he is so anxious to secure a divorce from her. The name of a prominent Pittsburg woman is said to be involved.

A grotesque element was introduced into the case today when it was announced that Tom Madine, the coachman who testified both ways, had bought an estate, and horses, and carriages in Ireland, and had begun to send marked copies of the local papers containing mention of his prosperity to parties interested in the divorce case.

GROSSCUP IS AGAIN INDICTED IN CHARLESTON CAR CRASH.

New Bills Voted Against Officers and Directors of Company—Physicians May Sue for Services to Victims.

Mattoon, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Officials and directors of the Central Traction company, on whose line near Charleston eighteen persons were killed and fifty-two hurt in a collision last August, were reindicted today. They are charged with criminal negligence as the cause of the disaster and with manslaughter as its result. The men indicted are as follows:

Judge Peter S. Grosscup, director, Chicago.
Marshall E. Sampsell, director, Chicago.
Arthur W. Underwood, director, Chicago.
Francis S. Peabody, director, Chicago.
E. A. Potter, director, Chicago.
Fred More, superintendent, Charleston, Ill.
Ben F. McClara, motorman, Charleston, Ill.
Charles Botts, motorman, Charleston, Ill.

News of the action of the grand jury shocked the traction men. It was believed that their recent payment of $41,000 in compromise settlement of personal injury and death claim suits aggregating $235,000 would sway public sentiment in favor of the traction company.

It developed today that in the settlement of the wreck cases the physicians and surgeons who responded to the call when the wreck occurred, and attended those who were injured, have been left out in the cold.

Thirty physicians are interested. It is understood that their bills average about $100, making the gross claim $3,000. It is likely the physicians will enter suits against the company.

LANTRY'S GAIN IS INCREASING.

Recount of Votes Thus Far Indicates That Barnett's Contest for Judgeship Will Be Unsuccessful.

In a recount of 166 precincts in twenty-seven wards Judge Thomas Lantry has gained 400 votes over his announced official plurality.

Only thirty-four precincts named in the petition of Ferdinand L. Barnett, who is contesting Judge Lantry's election, remain to be counted.

Judge Lantry's gains thus far make it scarcely possible that Barnett can win. Thirty-three votes which are disputed have not been counted, and are awaiting the decision of the election commissioners.

POLITICAL NOTES BY WIRE.

FRANKFORT, Ky.—The republicans of the house and senate held a joint caucus and nominated William Bradley for United States senator. They will hold separate caucuses tomorrow morning for legislative offices.

CHAMPAIGN, Ill.—Gov. Deneen ended a strenuous day with an address in the Elk auditorium. During the day he spoke at Clinton, Monticello, and Tuscola.

COLUMBUS, O.—The state senate signed a joint resolution to wipe all old bills and resolutions from the calendar. Gov. Harris' message urged many important reforms.

LAPORTE, Ind.—George Ade's desire to be a delegate to the republican convention has caused a three cornered fight in the Tenth district, his opponents being W. R. Wood of Lafayette and Congressman E. D. Crumpacker.

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ADVERTISE IN THE TRIBUNE

A CORRECTION

on the Table of

Figures printed in The Tribune January 5, 1908, showing the amount of Furniture Advertising published in the various Chicago papers during the year 1907.

ADVERTISER	TRIBUNE	RECORD HERALD	INTER OCEAN	EXAMINER	NEWS	AMERICAN	JOURNAL	POST
A. H. Andrews & Co.	3,075	838	134	.....	.....	.....	1,413	1,009
Burley & Co.	17,748	7,460	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,023
Carroll & Lancaster	.....	210	.....	.....	105	104	482	.....
Clark	2,744	66	.....	139	387	664	71	.....
John A. Colby & Son	17,973	14,643	.....	.....	204	.....	.....	2,085
Cowan, W. K.	36,678	3,007	1,676	.....	242	.....	634	30,932
Donchian	104	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Empire Furniture	.....	483	.....	4,813	.....	.....	.....	.....
L. Fish	9,479	.....	.....	4,797	5,288	1,032	264	.....
Globe-Wernicke	2,067	534	364	.....	.....	.....	138	1,038
Goldenberg	300	.....	.....	3,084	267	1,062	.....	.....
Grant Art	230	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hartman Furniture Co.	66,881	.....	21,628	75,576	47,815	6,807	23,958	.....
Hasselgren	326	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,639
Kennedy Furniture Co.	34,313	.....	.....	300	8,928	2,089	2,836	.....
Kline Furniture Co.	10,318	.....	.....	6,055	1,300	.....	.....	.....
Macey	2,637	.....	.....	792	.....	.....	.....	2,686
W. P. Nelson	495	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,786
New Era	210	.....	.....	.....	252	2,376	.....	.....
H. Otis	108	119	.....	.....	1366	.....	.....	.....
Pitkin & Brooks	9,262	3,298	936	8,008	600	420	858	684
Pushman Bros.	6,338	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Revell & Co.	107,138	38,270	21,839	23,959	26,923	11,010	11,879	10,326
Richardson, O. W.	2,840	1,390	.....	923	91	321	.....	.....
Sample Furniture Co.	940	.....	.....	712	.....	.....	.....	.....
Scholle, H. E.	19,726	13,488	11,632	.....	.....	.....	1,979	13,315
Smyth, John M.	60,900	50,400	49,392	47,040	30,275	21,627	11,518	.....
Geo. Smith & Co.	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spiegel Furniture Co.	72,630	.....	.....	79,072	22,582	24,003	18,578	.....
Storey Furniture	2,616	.....	.....	3,541	.....	184	383	.....
Simon Strauss & Co.	477	.....	.....	653	3,209	.....	.....	.....
Strauss & Schram	3,235	.....	.....	13,981	4,537	.....	.....	.....
Tobey Furniture Co.	36,145	31,659	12,260	5,649	4,191	2,381	2,984	19,805
Twin Bros.	438	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Union Furniture	.....	.....	.....	4,545	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	528,480	166,286	119,890	285,639	159,792	74,020	77,895	107,588

EARL'S COUSIN ENDS HIS LIFE.

H. Grey Duberley, a Relative of Canada's Governor General, Dies from Poison.

TO OUST RENT STRIKERS.

Judge Sanders Warns Them That They Must Have Legal Defense or Get Out.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, Jan. 6.

Earl Grey's Relative Commits Suicide.

A well dressed young man, who registered at the Hermitage, a bachelor hotel in Seventh avenue, on Sunday afternoon as "H. Grey, Duberly, Canada," committed suicide there tonight by swallowing poison. He was found unconscious in his room and died while two physicians were working over him. On a bureau in the room were letters addressed to the Hon. Earl Grey, governor general of Canada; James Grey Duberly, the young man's father, West Cannons, Yarmouth, England; Miss Amy Stansbere; Lady St. John, Melchbourne Park, Bedford, England, and the Hon. Hugh Mastes, Duckworth rectory, Huntington, England.

Apparently Duberly is a distant cousin of Earl Grey. A daughter of a younger brother of the second earl married James Duberly of Gaines hall, Huntingtonshire. The governor general of Canada is the fourth earl and a grandson of the second earl.

Besides the five letters, which were stamped, there was a note addressed to the hotel manager, which read:

"Dear Sir—Kindly communicate with my father, Capt. Grey Duberly, The Cannons, West Castle, England. He will defray all expenses. Also communicate with Earl Grey, Ottawa. I regret this, but all expenses will be paid. H. GREY DUBERLY."

Duberly never left his room from the time he entered it late Sunday afternoon. The letter to his father, who is a captain in the British navy, made the gravest charges against him and said that the father was responsible for his son committing suicide. It concluded:

"I do not want to die cursing you. I forgive you, as I hope God will forgive me. I only hope you will treat the rest of the children better than you have me."

Rent Strikers Fill Gotham Courtroom.

Those tenants of tenements on the east side who have been striking for a reduction in rent will be in trouble unless they settle with their landlords tomorrow or come to an amicable arrangement. They will be evicted on Wednesday, that is if the marshals can do the work.

The strike against high rent was organized by a committee of socialists. This committee has been materially helped by two or three lawyers who saw an opportunity to make a few dollars easily. Landlords who have been unable to collect their rents took the matter to court, and today when Judge Leon Sanders went to the new Second district court in Madison street, near Clinton street, the courtroom was so full no one could move in it. The halls of the courthouse, stairs leading to Madison street, and the street itself were crowded. Judges Sanders, Roesch, and Young reached their courts about 9 o'clock and could not get near the door. Policemen cleared a pathway for them.

The rent troubles were all in Judge Sanders' court and when he could make himself heard he told those present what he thought of the situation and what he intended to do. He said:

"I wish to state that when no legal defense is put in in the matter of these dispossess proceedings I will sign the papers and issue them on Wednesday. Where there is a legal defense and it is pleaded I will grant postponements until Tuesday. If I find that delays are being sought by perjured statements in the defense I will proceed against such perjurers and will deal with the lawyers as principals." As the result of this statement only three defendants' answers were entered. During the day the judge signed more than 1,000 warrants.

There are more than 800 cases on tomorrow's calendar in this court, and another busy time is expected.

"Mrs. Roberts" Invited to Visit Mrs. Grant.

Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant's denial that she or Gen. Grant ever entertained or introduced Mrs. "Vermeule Roberts" was met today by the dead woman's friends with a letter which it is claimed was found in the Riverside drive apartment. It is embossed with "Governor's Island, New York," and reads:

My Dear Mrs. Roberts: Thanks for your letter, and in reply I hasten to say that I shall be in Washington next Friday and Saturday, as we are going over for the unveiling of the statue of Frederick the Great to remain several days. I shall be glad to see you any Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock after Nov. 23 next. Trusting you will find this convenient and will come. Yours sincerely, IDA H. GRANT.

It was established today beyond any doubt that the woman was Louise Vermeule. She was identified by two men, one of them an officer of the Union Trust company in Philadelphia, which had had business dealings with her for several years under her married name, Mrs. Richard Roelof. The Union Trust company appeared in the case at the request of the woman's husband, who is a prosperous mining engineer in Cripple Creek, Colo. Mr. Roelof had directed that the body be taken to Philadelphia and buried beside that of Mrs. Helen W. Tinley, who was "Mrs. Roberts'" mother. "Mrs. Roberts'" friends, however, refused to believe she was the woman Col. Haire, her former counsel, declared her to be, and arranged to bury her in Calvary cemetery under the name by which they had always known her. Col. Haire requested that the body be put in a receiving vault and held until his identification has been verified. Her friends consented.

Whitmore Will Be Held for Murder of His Wife.

Theodore S. Whitmore—"Buck" Whitmore, his friends on the Third avenue elevated line, where he worked as a motorman, called him—will be arraigned tomorrow morning before Police Judge Branegan in Harrison, N. J., on a charge of murdering his wife, Lena. Judge Branegan and County Prosecutor Clark of Hudson county decided tonight that they had enough information to justify holding Whitmore on the murder charge.

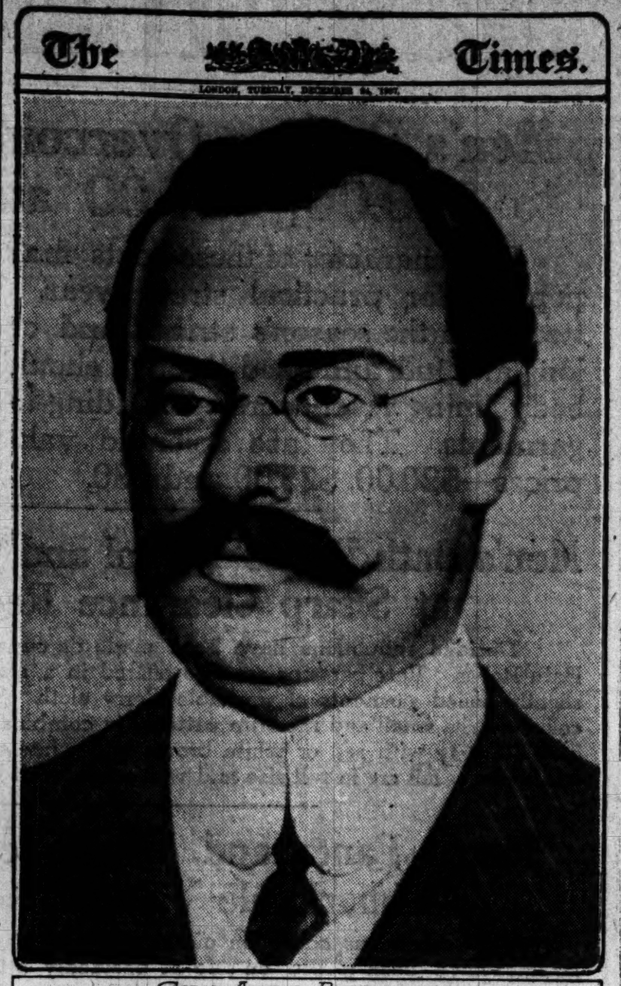
Their hand was forced tonight when Alexander Simpson, a Jersey City lawyer, went to the Harrison jail and said he had been engaged by Whitmore's brother, Elias, a mechanic employed by the New York Tribune, to represent the prisoner. Lawyer Simpson had a tilt with Judge Branegan as to the legality of keeping Whitmore behind the bars merely as a "suspected person," and as to questioning him without warning him that whatever he said might be used against him. Judge Branegan ended the altercation by announcing that Whitmore will be held for murder.

To Prohibit Women Smoking in Gotham Cafes.

An ordinance forbidding women to smoke in the cafés, restaurants, or other places of public entertainment was introduced at the first meeting of the new board of aldermen today by Councilman Sullivan. It was referred to a committee and will have a public hearing. The ordinance places a minimum penalty of a $25 fine and ten days' imprisonment upon proprietors who permit women to use tobacco in their establishments.

The action of a Fifth avenue café in allowing women to smoke on New Year's eve is given as the cause of the resolution.

The New "Thunderer" in England.



CYRIL ARTHUR PEARSON.

C. Arthur Pearson, the English publisher, who has acquired the London Times—"The Tunderer"—now owns the two extremes of English journalism. One is the Express, the nearest approach in England to the "yellow"; the other, the Times, the most conservative newspaper in the world. Mr. Pearson also is the owner of a score of other publications—dailies, weeklies, and monthlies.

DRAMATIC SCENE AT INQUEST

Dead Woman's Son Jests and Shows His Disrespect for Her.

POSSIBLY A DOUBLE SUICIDE.

Bereft Widow Reproaches Late Husband for Unfaithfulness.

Belief that Wilhelmina Beyer, 38 years old, and John Lerch, 47 years old, decided to die together was expressed yesterday by members of both families at the inquest.

The man and woman were asphyxiated by gas in a room at 3191 Milwaukee avenue. They left no note or letter of explanation. The jury was unable to decide whether the deaths were the result of a suicide compact or an accident. Mrs. Beyer was the mother of two boys. Lerch was the father of four children.

Members of the two bereaved families were summoned to the inquest, which was held by Deputy Coroner George Hitzman at David Mee's undertaking rooms, 1018 West Irving Park boulevard. Henry Beyer, 2167 North California avenue, the bereft husband, arrived with his son, Fred, 21 years old, about the same time as did Mrs. Lerch, with her oldest son, Henry, 22 years old. They were asked to identify the bodies.

Widow Reproaches the Dead.

At the sight of the corpses Mrs. Lerch burst into tears.

"O, John!" she said, "how could you leave me and the children like this?"

When it came to a discussion as to the disposition of the bodies Fred Beyer, whose bride of less than a month accompanied him, surprised Deputy Coroner Hitzman by saying:

"As far as I'm concerned, you can take the two of them, load them into a wheelbarrow, and dump them into a gravel pit. If I had had my way about it that man would have been shot a year ago. I tried my best to blow his brains out once when I caught him in our house, and again chased him away with a ball bat."

"Well, he was my father," spoke up young Lerch unhesitatingly. "I will see that he has a proper burial. He did wrong, but this is no time to berate him. After you caught him at your house you should have come and told us."

Jests About His Dead Mother.

When the testimony was being heard Fred Beyer and his bride made jests and laughed as if the whole affair was a joke.

"My mother and I had not been on good terms since I discovered that she was receiving attentions from Lerch," said young Beyer.

Willie Beyer, the 13 year old son, and Mrs. Dora Jensen, 643 Belmoral avenue, sister of the dead woman, wept most of the time.

Mrs. Sarah Goodman, proprietor of the rooming house in which the couple died, said they came to her Sunday night about 9:30, saying they were husband and wife, and asked for a room. Two bottles of beer later were called for. The gas cock was opened when she found the bodies. The police found the gas fixtures to be in good repair.

DRUCE PERJURY CASE DROPS.

Civil Action for Recovery of the Duke of Portland's Estates to Be Continued.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The perjury charge brought against Herbert Druce by his nephew, George Hollamby Druce, has collapsed. But the civil action for the recovery of the estates of the duke of Portland will be continued. This became known this afternoon when Mr. Atherley Jones, counsel for George Hollamby Druce, announced that in view of the discoveries made when the coffin of Thomas Charles Druce was opened and examined Dec. 30 it will be impossible to proceed with the prosecution.

NEW CRUISER FAILS IN TRIAL.

North Carolina Is Unable to Make Necessary Number of Revolutions for Contract Speed.

Rockland, Me., Jan. 6.—The new armored cruiser North Carolina, built by the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock company, on its screw standardization trial today failed to make the necessary number of revolutions to maintain its contract speed of twenty-two knots on any of the fourteen runs over the measured mile course, according to unofficial information. This was understood to be due to a handicap. No official report on the speed was permitted to be given out.

CUT TO PIECES; SON SEES IT

Aged Joseph McFall Dismembered When Hit by Train.

KILLED AT MAYWOOD DEPOT

Confused When Attempting to Cross Tracks Ahead of Through Cars.

In sight of his only son, Joseph I. McFall of Maywood was ground to pieces under the wheels of a Chicago, Elgin and Aurora train at the Seventeenth avenue station in that suburb yesterday. His sight clouded by the infirmities of seventy-two years, the elder McFall, hurrying to reach the station, became confused as he tried to cross the tracks and was struck by a fast through train.

The body of the aged man literally was cut to fragments. Both arms and both legs were cut off and almost every bone was broken. Such was the speed of the train that portions of the body were flung 200 feet from the point where McFall was struck.

The younger McFall, Joseph H., whose home is at St. Louis, has been making a holiday visit to his parents, whose home is at 801 Fifteenth avenue, in Maywood. He had not seen them for several years. The father was for twenty-nine years chief car inspector for the Pennsylvania lines at Indianapolis, but retired ten years ago. For a time he lived in Chicago, but removed to Maywood last April.

Thought Through Train a Local.

Together the two men started for Chicago yesterday. Unfamiliar with the time table on the Aurora road, they mistook an approaching through train for a local and hurried to catch it.

"Stay back, dad, and I'll hold the train," shouted the younger man as he rushed ahead across the tracks.

But the senior McFall either did not understand or was bound not to be left behind. He followed close after his son. Doubtless he expected the train would slown down, but it did not. Rushing ahead at full speed it struck the aged man, and the son, looking back, saw the body of his parent whirled in all directions.

Accounts differ as to whether or not the crossing signal was given. Some bystanders say no whistle was sounded or bell rung. The motorman, William Cline of Geneva, and the conductor, Edward Winters of Wheaton, say the signal for the crossing was given repeatedly.

The widow, Dr. Rose McFall, was prostrated when news of her huband's tragic death was carried to her and was hysterical most of the day.

Two Daughters Actresses.

Besides the son who was with his father, the family includes two daughters, who are actresses. They are now in the east with their respective companies.

Miss Sue McFall is known in the theatrical world as Julia Gray and is with the Milton J. Carr company in New Jersey. Miss May McFall goes under the stage name of May Noble and is now in Philadelphia.

Word of the sudden death of their father has been sent to them.

PEARSON AT HEAD OF LONDON TIMES

Advocate of "New School of Journalism" Takes Over Historic Paper.

PRICE PAID A SECRET.

Editorial Policy May Be Changed to Aid in the Fight for Tariff Reform.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The London Times has passed from the control of the Walter family, which has owned and conducted it for four generations, ever since it was first established.

C. Arthur Pearson, one of the two journalistic magnates of London, has secured the direction of the great newspaper. A new company has been formed with Mr. Pearson as managing director. He will assume the active management of the paper. Arthur F. Walter, president of the old company, becomes chairman of the board of directors of the new company.

Recently the Times entered into the bookselling business by arrangement and attempted to undersell the retailers. As a result it became involved in a war with the book publishers, which is supposed to have materially reduced its advertising receipts.

The extent of the financial interest of Mr. Pearson has not been disclosed. He conducts the Morning and the Evening Standard, the Daily Express, the James Gazette, and several magazines and weeklies. The offices of the Standard will be moved into the present Times building and both papers will be issued from the same plant.

Tariff Reform in Deal?

It is understood on good authority that Sir Alexander Henderson, the liberal-unionst member of parliament and chairman of the Great Central railway, is associated with Mr. Pearson in a new program for the Times and other newspapers. In some quarters it is stated to be a fusion of the Standard and Times, but there is no confirmation of this nor of the statement the Times will be reduced from 6 to 2 cents. The announcement that the editorial policy will remain unchanged is scouted here, as it is known that both Mr. Pearson and Sir Alexander are ardent tariff reformers, as are many of the shareholders of the Pearson newspapers. This is credited when it is recalled that the Standard was purchased for the purpose of using its batteries to support the Chamberlain program. Though no statement has been obtained on this point, there is tonight no doubt but what the advent of Mr. Pearson's management will be the signal for a thorough reorganization of all the departments of the Times. It is understood that both George E. Buckle, who has been editor of the Times since 1884, and Moberly Bell, assistant manager, will shortly retire. When approached on the subject both declined to be interviewed.

In some quarters it is believed Mr. Pearson intends to use The Times as a stepping stone to a peerage.

History Begins with Modern Europe.

The history of the Times begins with the history of modern Europe. The first number of the paper was published in 1785 as the Daily Universal Register. The name was changed to the Times in 1788, a year before the outbreak of the revolution in France.

At that time Belgium was part of the Netherlands, Greece part of Turkey, Italy a confusion of states, German unity undreamed of, and less than 500 words told all that was known of Africa.

The paper was established by John Walter and remained in control of his descendants until yesterday. The "Father of the Times" died in 1812 and the reins of management were taken up by his son of the same name, at whose death in 1847 John Walter III. became the head of the paper. On his death in 1894 the management of the Times fell upon Arthur Fraser Walter, his son, who, by the arrangement just perfected, becomes chairman of the board of directors of the paper.

The Times was the first paper to employ a war correspondent. In 1807 the first "stories from the front" appeared in its columns from the pens of Peter Fraser, a young clergyman, and Henry Crabb Robinson, who were sent to Altona by the newspaper.

From that year onward there never has been a conflict of nations which was not covered by a special correspondent of the Times.

Site of Home Is Historic.

The site upon which the Times building stands is historic. On it in 1279 the Black Friars began the erection of the new buildings of that monastery. In 1311 the building was used for the sessions of parliament. In 1443 it served as a storehouse for ordnance. In 1522 the mighty Emperor Charles V. staid in it while on a visit to England. In 1523 King Henry VIII. held the "black parliament" within its walls.

The Friars came under royal displeasure about this time, and in 1538 the property was taken from them. In 1544, when the Dutch were masters of the sea, the monastery was used as a storehouse for herring. In 1596 part of the premises was converted into a playhouse, wherein Shakspeare was wont to see his plays produced.

For seventy years the playhouse lasted, and then, in 1666, the entire premises were devastated by the great fire of that year. In 1667 John Bill founded the London Gazette. His building was destroyed by fire in 1737. In 1784 the first John Walter took over the site and erected the home of the Times, which has grown with the paper.

New Manager a Young Man.

C. Arthur Pearson is a young man, having just turned 40. He was the son of a country preacher and early in life took to newspaper work. He won first place in a competition instituted by Sir George Newnes and was taken on the staff of Tit-Bits.

From that date his rise was rapid. He soon became manager of Tit-Bits. Four years later he left Sir George's paper to start Pearson's Weekly for himself.

His greatest love is his work, and next to that come motoring and riding. He has plenty of money with which to buy good cars, and knows enough of a horse to keep a good stable.

Married Seven Weeks; Asks Divorce.

Catherine Lloyd, who was married to William B. Lloyd Nov. 3 at Waukegan, Ill., filed suit in the Circuit court yesterday asking a divorce. She charges the defendant with cruelty. She left him Christmas day.

STEAMER MOUNT ROYAL SAFE?

Vessel Resembling the Missing One Reported Off Fastnet.

400 PERSONS ARE ABOARD.

Boat Eleven Days Overdue in Its Trip Across Atlantic.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 6.—Hope for the safety of the Canadian Pacific steamer Mount Royal, long overdue at this port from Antwerp, was revived tonight by a cable dispatch from Liverpool announcing that a steamer resembling the missing vessel had been reported 250 miles west of Fastnet.

The Canadian Pacific officials feel certain that the steamer sighted is the Mount Royal and the Lake Manitoba has been dispatched from Liverpool to assist it.

The Mount Royal left Antwerp on Dec. 7 for St. John, N. B. It carries 304 immigrants, a crew of 100, and a large cargo. It is not a fast steamer, but never before has occupied more than nineteen days in the passage. Fears for the vessel's safety have been felt for several days.

Some excitement was caused today by the report a steamer had been sighted towing another off Brier island, near the entrance of the Bay of Fundy. When Brier island was communicated with, the lightkeeper said that two two masted steamers bound up the bay had passed at 3 o'clock, but that one was not towing the other.

HARVARD BOY SAILORS RESCUED.

New York, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Capt. Nickerson of Orleans, Mass., and his crew of five Harvard students, who had enlisted to get some real experience at sea, were rescued from the schooner Fame off quarantine today. The schooner had been driven about by the heavy gales for eight days, and the crew faced starvation, as there was but little food left. The vessel's sails were gone, and it was unable to beat against the northwest gale.

The revenue cutter Mohawk went to the Fame's assistance, and, after standing by all night, towed it into port at daylight. The college boys with their suit cases lit out for Boston. Those in the party were John Alden, Langdon Alden, Harold Davidson, and Bradford Babcock. Raymond O. Brackett, who acted as mate on the trip, remained behind with Capt. Nickerson and accompanied the ship when a vessel started to tow it to Boston.

POKES FUN AT "FAITH CASH."

Ex-Gov. Thomas of Nebraska Tells Jacksonian Club Banqueters How We View Clearing House Checks.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Four hundred guests were present at the annual banquet of the Jacksonian club tonight. Ex-Gov. Thomas was the chief speaker. His address was full of witticisms and fairly bubbled with sarcasm, the buffer for which was the recent financial flurry.

"I was in Chicago when the Knickerbocker Trust company failure was announced," he said, "and I never saw so many people in my life who were so anxious to see even a demonetized silver dollar. After the Christian Science money had been in circulation a few weeks many of these certificates were ready to offer a large bonus on their face value if they might be able to say: 'I know that my redeemer liveth.'"

This declaration was made in connection with a discussion of sound money.

W. J. Bryan also spoke.

CAPITAL AND LABOR NOTES.

NORTH ATTLEBORO, MASS.—The liabilities of the suspended Jewelers' National bank were reduced $75,000 and the assets increased a like amount when the Roger Williams Insurance company, a Rhode Island corporation, turned over to the receivers of the bank a certificate of deposit for $75,000, which, it was alleged, was issued by the late cashier, Frederick E. Sargent, and never entered upon the books of the bank.

WOONSOCKET, R. I.—The Millville boot mill of the Woonsocket Rubber company resumed operations. All departments will be running before the end of the week, giving employment to 1,000 bootmakers. The American Wringer company's plant also resumed, 400 operatives again getting employment.

ALBANY, N. Y.—It was announced that the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company had laid off 300 additional men in the West Albany shops. This is the second "layoff" within a few weeks, the total number now involved being 700.

TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Eleven hundred men at the Vandalia shops were put on a seven instead of nine hour schedule. One thousand men in the construction gangs of the Big Four between Terre Haute and Indianapolis were laid off.

CLEVELAND, O.—It is variously estimated that fully 10,000 employés returned to work in Cleveland as the result of a general resumption of commercial activity. Probably 30,000 to 40,000 men were put to work in northern Ohio.

CINCINNATI, O.—The Wiborg & Hanna Lumber company, which made a voluntary assignment on Dec. 31 last, is not insolvent, according to a decision of United States Judge Thompson, who today refused to appoint a receiver.

NORTHAMPTON, MASS.—More than 800 mill operatives who have been out of work since Christmas returned to their work when the Belding Brothers' silk mill and the Northampton Cutlery company resumed operations.

PITTSBURG, PA.—The plants of the Republic Iron and Steel company and the Youngstown Steel and Tube company at Youngstown, O., resumed operations, giving employment to 8,000 men.

BRISTOL, R. I.—Operations were resumed at the plant of the National Rubber company after a shutdown of nearly one month. More than 1,500 operatives were given work.

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DIAMONDS DRUG; FOUR FIRMS FAIL

New York Gem Dealers, Owing $4,500,000, Victims of Financial Stringency.

SALE OF LUXURIES STOPS.

Famous Hope Diamond, Valued at $250,000, Among Assets of One of the Companies.

New York, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The diamond jewelry trade was startled today when it became known that four of the largest diamond dealers in Fifth avenue were temporarily embarrassed, their affairs having been put in the hands of trustees for liquidation. The firms are Joseph Frankel's Sons company, Joseph Frankel's Sons, Gattie, Ettlinger & Hammel, all of 576 Fifth avenue, and E. M. Gattle & Co. of 420 Fifth avenue.

These are all corporations. The liquidating trustees are James G. Cannon, vice president of the Fourth National bank; John C. Van Cleaf, vice president of the National Park bank; and Louis Kahn of L. & M. Kahn & Co., diamond merchants.

The four concerns are closely associated, and deemed that it was for the best interests of all concerned that their affairs should be put in the hands of the same trustees.

Companies Recently Incorporated.

Joseph Frankel's Sons company was incorporated on Jan. 17, 1905, with a capital stock of $1,000,000, with Simon Frankel president and David J. Frankel treasurer. They are sons of Joseph Frankel, who established the business thirty years ago and died in 1887. They did a large business importing diamonds, averaging more than $2,500,000 a year. Joseph Frankel's Sons was incorporated on Jan. 18, 1905, with a capital stock of $10,000. E. M. Gattle & Co. are capitalized at $800,000.

Strocck & Stroock are attorneys for the Messrs. Frankel. They said the concern was solvent and that the embarrassment is only temporary, and is due to the existing financial conditions and primarily to the inability of customers to meet their obligations to several companies. In addition to their business the Messrs. Frankel are interested largely in real estate, which has been put with the general fund for the benefit of creditors. They own the store building at 576 Fifth avenue, other parcels in Fifth avenue, and some downtown leaseholds. Kendall & Herzog represent the Gattle companies.

Statement by Counsel.

William Nelson Cromwell of Sullivan & Cromwell of counsel for the liquidating trustees, in a statement regarding the affairs of the companies, said:

"These four houses have been closely associated in their trade, and are leaders in the sale of precious stones and jewels of the highest order of value. Owing to the unprecedented falling off of sales of high class gems as in almost all other luxuries and owing also to the unparalleled stoppage in the customary banking facilities it became necessary to readjust the affairs of these firms so as to insure realization upon their assets.

"The gross liabilities are about $4,500,000 and the gross assets are valued at more than $5,000,000."

Hope Diamond an Asset.

An incident in the troubles of Joseph Frankel & Sons company was the importing by the firm about five years ago of the Hope diamond. The big gem has been a drug on the market, and the company has not been able to realize anywhere near its value. The Hope is a beautiful sapphire diamond weighing 44¾ carats, and the Frankels are said to have held it at $250,000. In its present condition it has been known since 1830, and it is named in all lists of noted diamonds. It was bought by Henry Thomas Hope, a London banker, for about $90,000. Tavernier brought from India a stone of that color for Louis XIV. of France. In the rough it weighed 112 3-16 carats, and was cut to 67¼ carats. This was stolen, with other jewels of the French crown, in 1792, and never found. Edwin W. Streeter of London bought a small stone of the same color, weighing about a carat, for $2,500. Another drop shaped stone of the same color, weighing 13⅝ carats, was sold at Geneva in 1874 for 17,000 francs from the collection of the duke of Brunswick.

NAVY MEN ARE HURT ON EVE OF CEREMONY TO HONOR DEAD

Three Seamen of Nebraska Struck by Swinging Crane When Wave Hits Cutter on Davits.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 6.—On the eve of the unveiling of the monument commemorating the memory of the United States sailors killed in the accident on the gunboat Bennington, July 21, 1905, two sailors were severely injured by a peculiar accident on the battleship Nebraska.

While making ready to lower a cutter to take the liberty men ashore the crane was caught by a swell and swung around, striking several sailors.

Seaman Denton and Seaman Wilson were knocked down, badly cut about the head, and rendered unconscious.

Another sailor received slight injuries. The injured will recover.

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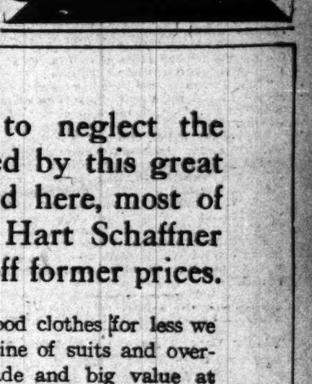

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ASKS MORE OFFICERS, TOO

Annual Report Urges Many Reforms in Manner of Caring for Defenders.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Increased pay for enlisted men and a lightening of their routine duties in order to encourage enlistments are urged by Secretary of War Taft in his annual report, made public today. He also urges the pressing need for officers to replace the large number now detailed on recruiting duty or as instructors in educational institutions, such as the state universities.

The report begins with a formidable presentment of figures showing the rapid decrease in the strength of the regular army in recent years (the loss last year being no less than 4,428 men). The secretary declares that, while many reasons have been advanced to explain the difficulty, a sufficient one is to be found in the inadequacy of army pay.

This difficulty is especially noticeable in the coast defense, and where the service requires a high degree of mechanical skill, and the training necessary to develop the men leads to their acquisition of a considerable knowledge of electricity and a skill in assembling and manipulating various kinds of electrical apparatus in general use in the commercial world. The result is that by the time these men have served one enlistment they have attained a proficiency which commands a much higher remuneration in civil employment than it does in the army, and they do not reënlist.

Favors Navy Plan for Army.

"I think it quite probable," the secretary continues, "that an increase in the pay of the enlisted men, including considerable additional inducements for men to reënlist, and such reasonable increase in the pay of noncommissioned officers as would stimulate men to remain in the service and to qualify themselves for these higher positions, would have a markedly beneficial effect upon the recruitment of the army."

The secretary favors the adoption for the army of the naval system, under which the president is authorized to fix the rates of pay within defined limits, as a means of obtaining a better discipline and a higher efficiency.

He also recommends the creation of a general service corps to relieve the soldiers of the vast amount of unmilitary work they are now called upon to perform. In his opinion, the military service should be so attractive and desirable that it will not be difficult to get and hold the class of men needed for the enlisted personnel, and to make army service a life work, as it used to be, by offering rewards for proficiency and greater increase of pay for length of service.

The regular army last year lost 139 officers and 26,310 enlisted men through retirement, discharge, deaths, and other causes. Although it was a year of peace, 14 of the officers and 356 of the men were killed in action or died of wounds and disease.

Health Camp in Philippines.

The secretary has decided to create one of the new regimental posts at Baguio, in the Philippines, and asks for an appropriation for the purpose. He also urges an enlargement of Fort McKinley reservation, near Manila, by 6,000 acres at a cost of $185,000, and the construction of an electric railroad from Camp Overton, on the north shore of Mindanao, to Camp Keithley, on Lake Lanao, in the center of the Moro country. He compares Baguio to the Adirondacks in atmosphere and climate, and says nothing could be of greater aid to the army than a post at that point, where every regiment in the island might be sent at some time during its tour of duty in the islands.

A profound conviction of the importance of the subject leads the secretary to earnestly adjure congress to give heed to the pressing needs of the military department, which it has overlooked, notwithstanding attention having repeatedly been called to it. The secretary says:

"The failure to make proper and adequate provision for caring for the health and comfort of the volunteer forces in time of war, and this can only be done by creating a sufficiently large body of competent surgeons with military knowledge and training—not only needlessly prolongs the struggle and involves the country in expenditures of money far in excess of the actual cost of making proper provision in advance, but, most deplorable of all, brings anxiety and sorrow to households all over the land and condemns many promising youths to unnecessary suffering and possibly to a premature grave."

Year's Estimates Nearly Doubled.

Among the estimates submitted is an item of $6,488,000 for the construction of batteries at Manila and Subig bay. This estimate appears in connection with others for the insular possessions, and the only comment made upon it in the report is this:

"The places recommended for fortification have all been visited by one or more members of the national coast defense board, the suitability for fortification sites has been carefully studied by the board, and expenditures are being made accordingly."

Accompanying the report are the estimates for the support of the military establishment during the next fiscal year, the amount being $11,582,931 greater than last year's appropriations. By far the greater part of the increase—more than 90 per cent—is for coast defense works, of which about $21,700,000 is required for the United States and $14,800,000 for the insular possessions. In concluding the report Secretary Taft says:

"It seems to me the time has come to recognize in the same way the service of one who was not a soldier, but who, as secretary of war, rendered heroic service in the preservation of the union, and whose strong personality and intellectual force made him one of the great historical figures in a national crisis. Edward M. Stanton labored for the maintenance and perpetuity of this government with unfaltering courage and with a vigor that knew no abatement. I recommend that congress make adequate provision for the erection of a statue to Secretary Stanton in the city of Washington, where his great work was done and where his remains are buried."

ROOSEVELT HITS 'PATRONAGE.'

Wants Census Bureau Employes Appointed Only After Competitive Test Under Civil Service Rules.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—In a message to the house of representatives today President Roosevelt urged that in preparing for the taking of the next census the 4,000 or more additional employés needed be appointed only after competitive examination under the rules of the civil service commission. He strongly denounced the "patronage system" of making the appointments.

MONEY ORDER BUSINESS GAINS.

Postmaster Campbell Reports Increase of 13.16 Per Cent in Currency Handled.

Postmaster Campbell reported yesterday that the total number of transactions in the money order division of the Chicago postoffice for the year 1907 was 11,949,509, compared with a total of 11,525,443 transactions for 1906, an increase of 3.67 per cent. The total amount of money handled in this division in the year just ended was $231,737,454.95, compared with a total of $208,892,568.89 last year, an increase of $27,844,886, or 13.16 per cent.

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RAIL CHIEFS OBEY NEW LAW

Commerce Commission Reports on Last Year's Work.

NEGLECT COSTS 5,000 LIVES.

Cause of Accidents Said to Be in Defects of Management.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—More significant and important, perhaps, than any other statement in the twenty-first annual report of the interstate commerce commission, which was transmitted today to congress, is that relating to the attitude of railway officials toward the new railroad law.

In a discussion of the operation of the act the commission says:

"By railway managers almost without exception the amended law has been accepted in good faith, and they exhibit for the most part a sincere and earnest disposition to conform their methods to its requirements."

The commission adds that it was not expected that reforms could be brought about without difficulty or delay, "but it is unquestionably the fact that great progress has been made, and that further improvement is clearly assured. To a gratifying extent there has been readjustment of rates and correction of abuses by the carriers themselves.

"As this process goes on, as special privileges disappear and favoritism ceases to be even suspected, the indirect, but not less certain, benefits of the law will become more and more apparent."

Relief Under Rate Law.

Since the new rate law became effective on Aug. 28, 1906, the commission has granted relief in the form of corrective orders in many cases. Up to Nov. 4, 1907, the commission rendered decisions in 105 contested cases under the act. In forty-five cases orders were made against the defendant carriers, in forty-five the complaints were dismissed, and in the remaining fifteen no orders were made. In every instance except one the orders of the commission were complied with promptly. In the exceptional case the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad carried the order into the United States courts, but, pending a decision by the courts, is complying with the order of the commission.

Two important subjects are discussed at length in the report, the one being the matter of advances in rates, "which the commission is wholly without power to prevent," and the other the dreadful destruction of life in railway accidents, "which are not now the subject of official investigation under federal authority."

Five Thousand Perish in Rail Disasters.

A table showing the increase, year by year, in the number of all persons killed and injured in railway disasters accompanies the report. It is as follows:

	1907.	1906.	1905.	1904.
Killed	5,000	4,225	3,798	3,787
Injured	76,288	66,709	55,466	51,343

"In the few serious collisions that have occurred on block signaled lines the management and discipline—in every case, with possibly one exception—have been shown to be glaringly faulty."

Respecting congested traffic and car shortage, the commission says the whole problem "may be said to be due to the fact that the facilities of the carriers have not kept pace with the commercial growth of the country. One eminent railroad president has estimated that during the period from 1895 to 1905 the traffic offered for carriage in the United States increased 110 per cent, while during the same period the instrumentalities for handling this traffic increased only 20 per cent.

LIABILITY LAW IS HELD INVALID

Supreme Court Decides the Act Gives to Congress Illegal Powers.

DECIDES ON TIMBER CASE

Williamson Gains Reversal of Decision Imposing Fine for Fraud.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—That the congressional act known as the "employers' liability law" is not in accordance with the constitution of the United States, because it goes beyond the bounds permitted in the regulation of interstate commerce, was the conclusion reached by the Supreme court of the United States today.

The act makes railroads and other common carriers responsible to employés in accidents due to the negligence of fellow servants or to ineffective appliances. The Supreme court's decision was the result of appeals from federal courts of Kentucky and Tennessee, which had decided the law was unconstitutional and had refused damages demanded from the Illinois Central and the Southern Pacific railroads by relatives of two men killed in accidents on the lines. The lower court's decision was sustained by a vote of 5 to 4.

The Supreme court's decision, as announced by Justice White, held the law to be invalid on the double ground that a congressional enactment could not be made applicable to interstate commerce, as he claimed was undertaken in this law, and that protection from accidents in interstate commerce could not be construed as any part of "commerce" of any kind.

Differences in Opinions.

The chief justice, Justice Brewer, and Justice Peckham joined with Justice White in the result arrived at, but they did not follow him in his assertion of the power of congress to regulate the relation between master and servant. Justice Day concurred in the decision.

Justice Moody dissented entirely, holding that the law is constitutional on all points. He expressed the opinion congress had the general power to pass the act and the court's position was an interference with the domain of the legislative branch of the government.

Justices Harlan and McKenna united in an opinion affirming the constitutionality of the act, but holding it to be applicable only to employés engaged at the time in interstate commerce, and not to those engaged wholly in the state in which the accident happened. Justice Holmes also delivered a brief dissenting opinion.

Williamson Wins Timber Case.

The case of former Congressman J. N. Williamson of Oregon, charged with unlawfully cutting timber on the public lands in Crook county, Ore., in conspiracy with 100 others, was decided in favor of Williamson. The United States Circuit court for Oregon imposed a fine of $500 and sentenced Williamson to prison for ten months. The reversal was based on the ground of irregularity in admitting affidavits.

Justice White discussed at length the contention of Mr. Williamson that his office as a member of congress protects him from arrest, concluding that "since the terms treason, felony, and breach of the peace, as used in the constitutional provision relied on, excepts from the operation of the privilege all criminal offenses, the conclusion results that the claim of privilege of exemption from arrest and sentence was without merit."

The habeas corpus case of Cin Yow vs. the United States, involving the deportation of Yow, who is a son of Chinese parents and who claims to be a native citizen of this country, was decided in his favor.

Yow based his appeal on the ground that his testimony before the trial court was not heard, and the Supreme court held he was entitled to a hearing.

The opinion was by Justice Holmes. It is considered important, in that it assures a hearing to accused Chinamen.

$75,000 GRAFT CHARGE HITS FORMER FEDERAL CHEMIST.

Edwin M. Vandyck, Once Expert in Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and Ink Manufacturer Are Indicted.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Allegation of fraud and graft in supplying the bureau of engraving and printing with black dry color, used in the manufacture of ink, resulted today in the indictment by the federal grand jury here of Edwin M. Vandyck, formerly a chemist and inkmaker employed in the bureau, and Victor Bloede, president of the Victor Bloede company of Baltimore, manufacturers of fine ink and colors.

Vandyck and Bloede are charged in the indictments with conspiracy to defraud the government, the allegation being that they entered into an agreement by which Bloede was to pay Vandyck a percentage of the money his company received from the government for the black dry color furnished to the bureau of engraving and printing.

Vandyck, it is charged, fraudulently favored the Baltimore company to such an extent that he was paid by Bloede in the course of five years between $70,000 and $75,000.

The indictments purport to give details of the transaction between Vandyck and Bloede as to payments made the former. It appears that Vandyck received his commission in the form of checks, which, after being indorsed, he would return to the Bloede company and receive in lieu thereof New York drafts.

Attorneys for both Vandyck and Bloede appeared before Justice Stafford today and agreed to $10,000 bail.

PLANS NEW CANAL ZONE RULE.

Congressman Introduces Bill to Retire Present Commission and Give President Enlarged Powers.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—A bill providing for the government of the Panama canal zone, the construction of the canal, and for kindred purposes, was introduced today by Representative Mann of Chicago.

It provides that the canal zone—extending five miles from either side of the canal and three marine miles from each mouth of the waterway—shall be governed "by such persons as the president shall from time to time appoint," that the president shall cause the canal to be constructed as a lock canal, sufficient for the passage of the largest vessels now in use, and shall cause the construction of "safe and commodious" harbors at the canal termini, "and make such provisions for defense as may be necessary for the safety and protection of the canal and harbors."

The management of the Panama railroad is placed in the president's hands tentative to the acquirement of that right. The bill authorizes the president, with the consent of the senate, to appoint one chief engineer of the canal zone, and fix compensation, duties, powers, and relative jurisdiction until such time as congress may otherwise provide.

The president is given further authority to divine and determine laws which shall govern the zone and to appoint, with the consent of the senate, a supreme court of the canal zone, whose decisions shall be reviewable by the Supreme court of the United States.

Sleep

During sleep the necessary Body-repairs are carried on in the "human workshop."

Anything that prevents sound sleep at the proper time, *i. e.*, after retiring at night—will, sooner or later, prevent "smooth running" during business hours.

That "drowsy feeling" in the forenoon (when every one from the manager to the office boy should feel as elastic as a rubber ball) is often caused by want of sound, refreshing sleep the night before.

The habitual use of Coffee is back of it all in nine cases out of ten.

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Which contains the "vital phosphates" from wheat for rebuilding brain and nerve cells. It does not contain the insomnia-producing alkaloid—*Caffeine*, found in coffee and tea. Postum

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The character of these coats makes them decidedly popular for practical street wear. They are made of tweeds in the season's stripes and checks; they are cut long and full, and lined through shoulders with satin—the body lining is of worsteds, adding to the warmth of the garments. They are splendid values at the reduced prices—$20.00, $25.00 and $30. *Second Floor.*

Men's Bath Robes—Wool and Wash Garments at Sharp Clearance Reductions

Decided reductions have been made on our entire lines of Men's Wool Bath Robes. Rare bargains are also offered in a number of broken lots and slightly soiled garments of washable Terry cloth. They are in very desirable colors—large, small and medium patterns in combinations of blue with red, gray or white, gray with red or white, brown and white, tan, red and black, and red and white. All are in full size and well made, with heavy cord and girdle. *Second Floor.*

Men's Fancy and Wash Vests: Remarkable Values.

A miscellaneous collection of these Vests from our regular lines have been placed on sale at decidedly attractive reductions. The odd lots contain some of the season's best favored styles, made of fine flannels, worsteds and washable materials. The bargains are better than those usually offered in such sales. *Second Floor.*

Boys' Wash Suits: 1908 Styles: Special Values.

Our display of Boys' Russian Suits and Sailor Suits in white and colored fabrics are the most satisfactory assortments we have ever displayed at this season of the year. The styles are plain and practical. The low prices especially recommend an early and extensive selection. The stock is now complete in all sizes. The illustration shows four very pretty new and distinct styles.

Boys' Military Russian Suits in navy, red and cadet blue gingham with wide box plait in back and three box plaits in front, cross bar of white soutache braid on front—a very pretty style; sizes 2½ to 7; suit 2.50.

Boys' Galatea Suits with two rows of buttons down front in navy, red and cadet blue striped—sizes 2½ to 7, special, $2.50.

Boys' Russian Suits of white madras with narrow cross lines of brown, red and navy blue, forming a plaid, with white sail'r collar, a handsome suit; sizes 3 to 8, $3.50.

Boys' plain Russian Suits of navy, cadet and red gingham with white anchor embroidered on sleeve, 2½ to 7, $2.50.

Boys' White Madras Suits, plain and hand embroidered, the prettiest style we have ever shown, sizes 2½ to 8, priced at $1.95 to $13.50.

Boys' Washable Reefers, sizes 2½ to 8, each $4.

Boys' Sailor Suits of gingham, Galatea and linen in the new striped and plain fabrics in navy, red, cadet and brown—the blouses are cut full—all are priced very low, sizes 5 to 12, $1.95 to $6.50. *Fourth Floor.*

WHY WOMEN SUFFER

Women have so much to go through in life that it is a pity there is so much needless suffering from backache, headache, dizziness, languor and other common aches and ills of kidney complaint.

Doan's Kidney Pills have brought new life and strength to thousands of women afflicted in this way.

Women are prone to kidney trouble. They have so much indoor work to do, so much lifting, bending and stooping; they are bound by custom to tight, heavy clothing. They get little outdoor exercise, and any little cold may bring on a kidney weakness.

Don't worry if you feel tired and dragged out—if you have backache and bearing-down pain, headache, dizzy spells, faintness and lack ambition. Don't think it's some trouble peculiar to the sex. Men suffer in the same way when they have kidney trouble.

Ask yourself this question: "Are my kidneys well?" The condition of the kidney secretions may give you an answer. If there is a brick-dust sediment or a stringy settling in the urine; if passages are too frequent and copious, or scanty and painful, it is time to begin using Doan's Kidney Pills. Delay may run you into Bright's disease or diabetes.

Doan's Kidney Pills are a special medicine for the kidneys, and do not affect the bowels or any other organs. There is not a particle of poison in them—just the pure roots and herbs that nature intended for curing the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure every form of kidney trouble. Read the testimony of a woman of your own city, perhaps a neighbor:

CHICAGO TESTIMONY.

Mrs. Henry Mueller, of 294 Mohawk Street, Chicago, Ill., says: "Ever since I first learned about Doan's Kidney Pills I have been a strong advocate for them. I first learned about them some three years ago, and after they had cured me I gave a statement for publication recommending them. I had been troubled with attacks of kidney complaint since 1894. In August, 1903, I was laid up in bed for three weeks and, in addition to the acute aching in my back and sides, the kidney secretions contained blood, and at times the passages were too frequent, also very painful. I naturally became anxious about my condition and tried remedy after remedy but met with no success until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. Two boxes entirely cured me of the terrible aching in my back and sides, regulated the kidney secretions, and restored the kidneys to a good healthy condition. I have had slight attacks of backache at times since, but as I keep Doan's Kidney Pills in the house all the time, I take a few doses and they never fail to give the desired relief. Doan's Kidney Pills are the best kidney remedy I ever used, and I highly recommend them to others who suffer as I did."

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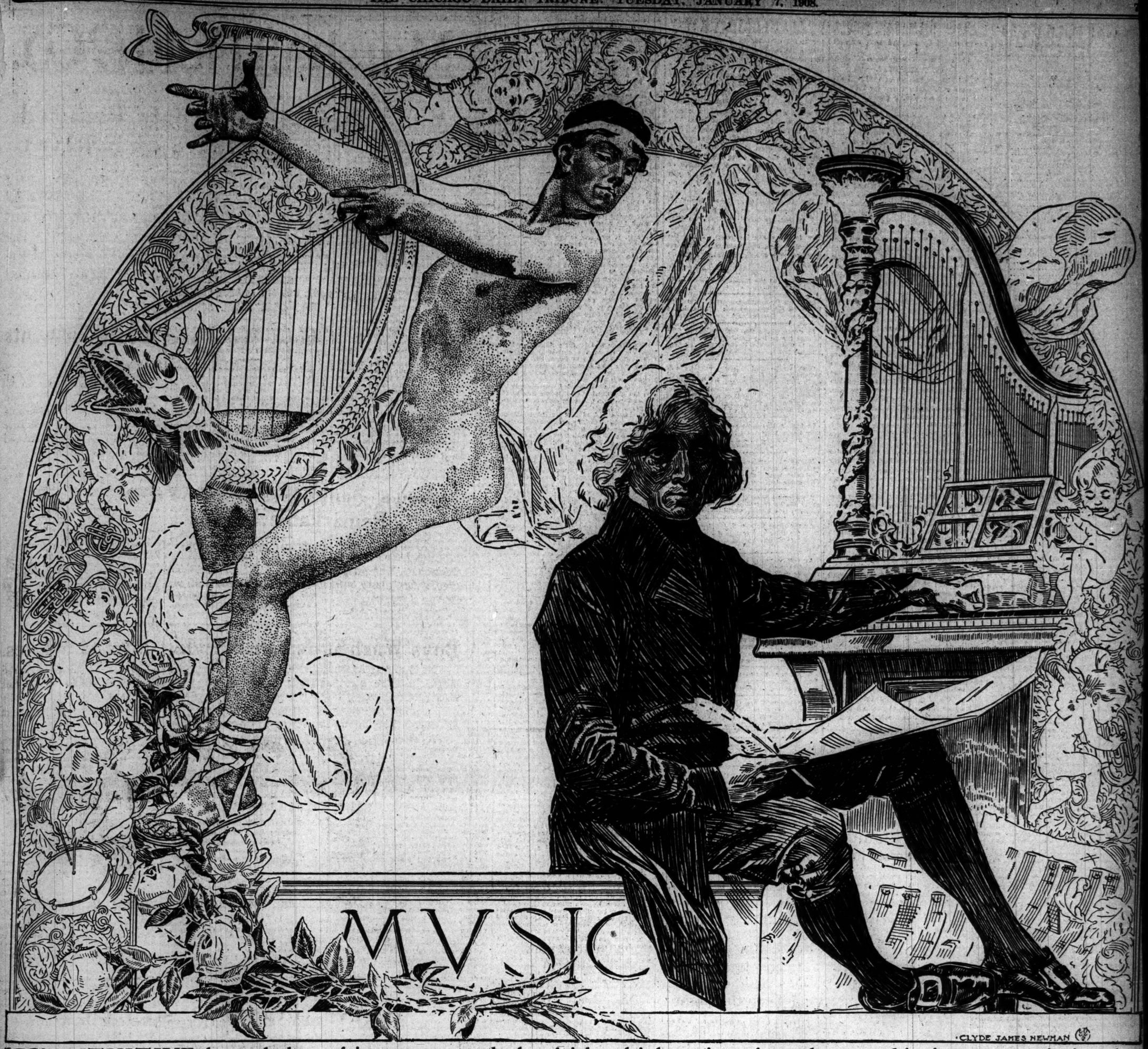

INTUITIVE knowledge of its power and the faith which springs from long and intimate association is a primary reason why piano merchants of this community employ The Tribune as their chief medium of communication. It is their own knowledge that The Tribune, from its beginning, has been the ideal protector of home, family, country, liberty and law, and has ever been a sturdy advocate of the better things of life. And wherever you find love of home, love of kinship, love of country, and love of law, order and purity, there you will find educated and sympathetic souls, love of music and—The Tribune. Where dulled intellects, self-absorbed and unsentimental natures exist, there you will find no appreciation of the arts and seldom The Tribune, for such natures are not responsive to the softening and refining influences of music as represented by the one nor to the sweeter, braver purposes of civilization as sponsored by the other.

¶. Hence the piano and The Tribune go hand in hand into the homes of rich and poor where there are senses so well poised and so well attuned that they rise to the inspiration each affords. To love The Tribune is a liberal education and to love the piano is evidence that education exists. Logically, therefore, by virtue of human conditions, the advertising of these instruments of civilization justly belongs to this paper, and we make the assertion with all the modesty and repression that the circumstances warrant.

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Julius Bauer	1,118	2,858	2,884		382		1,582	896
Cable Company	10,137	55		9,989	3,779	4,685	4,837	5,188
Chickering-Chase	863	1,320	853	152	257		203	
John Church	1,929	1,733	258	2,747	1,244			264
Melville Clark	104	120	156					
Detmer			833					
Healy Music	2,470	890	2,273	9,228	616	6,374		
W. W. Kimball	12,542	13,083	1,581	5,822	10,816	10,363	3,674	6,486
Jas. Lyons	34					109		
Lyon & Healy	27,477	17,195	13,119	20,648	23,567	15,292	16,795	19,656
Adam Schaaf	8,537	104		7,378	287			59
Schultz	2,215						303	
Smith, F. G.	3,941	2,443		3,286	204	4,287	1,964	
P. A. Starck	150			4,594	154	5,340	150	
Steger & Son	11,710	10,296	1,276	3,536	3,213	2,462	1,602	2,920
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Thompson Music	853	150	306	1,482	132	956	1,204	
Vose & Son	4,162	4,095	684			627	3,897	3,985
Wurlitzer	8,026	85	163	8,139		8,914		
Total	107,559	65,234	34,306	86,346	52,002	67,461	39,036	40,771

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Nor is not moved by concord of sweet sounds,
Is fit for treason, stratagems, and spoils."

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1908.

THE PNEUMONIA SEASON.

The latest bulletin of the local health department is pessimistic in tone. In the week it covered there were 116 deaths from pneumonia. This total marked an increase of thirteen over the preceding week, while still twenty-one short of the record for the corresponding period in 1907. The increase over the closing days of December, however, is deemed an indication that the usual mortality from pneumonia will prevail during the early months of the winter. When this indication is put into a statement that 2,500 people will die of the disease before spring comes it is startling.

The warning note of the department has a little comfort in it in the use of the word "probably." There is a chance that the total mentioned may not be reached. But that chance is related to the care which people take of themselves. The unfortunate fact is that there will be a lack of such care. And carelessness is the most fruitful source of pneumonia.

The epidemic of grippe makes the situation more alarming than usual. The department has issued its warnings against carelessness in handling this disease. It emphasizes its appeal because of the prevalence of pneumonia. Its rules are few and simple. Don't neglect a cold. Don't stay in overheated or poorly ventilated rooms or conveyances. Keep the body well protected. Don't give way to excesses in eating or drinking. Keep in close touch with your physician. By such care pneumonia may be avoided.

The people will hope that Dr. Evans may prove a false prophet in his estimate of the deaths from this one disease, whose ravages are always so great during the winter weeks in Chicago. Perhaps the best way to discredit his prophetic powers is to follow the plain rules he has laid down. If by individual care the number of the dead can be lessened materially, no one will be more pleased than the health commissioner.

THE POLICE DRAGNET.

The zeal of the police in rounding up the idle criminals of the city is commendable. The lives of two policemen have been sacrificed because these individuals have been at large. Holdups and robberies have been frequent. The increase in the number of men out of employment has an element of danger connected with it not to be strengthened by inattention to those known to have a criminal record.

The men who have been arrested should be given careful individual study. Those who are vagrants should receive the full benefit of the law on that subject. The definition of vagrancy in the ordinances is sufficiently comprehensive to cover many of the arrested persons. It will cost something to provide for their keep at public expense during the next few trying weeks. But it will be cheaper in the long run than to permit them to thrive on the misfortunes of their fellow citizens.

Those who are found carrying revolvers, billies, slungshots, brass knuckles, or other devices of the cowardly criminal should be given the limit. No honest man who attends to his own business is obliged to carry any such implements. Their possession should be taken as evidence of wrong intention. The law on the subject is explicit. It is a good thing to punish criminals who violate it even if it is not possible to prove their connection with other evil deeds.

The arrest of a large number of idle criminals always has an element of value in giving the police better opportunity to know the men with whom they must deal when their comrades are shot while in pursuit of duty or when citizens are held up or places of business robbed. It is worth something to know the haunts of such men, who their companions are, and what their personal peculiarities happen to be.

Police activity at this time is particularly desirable because of the possibility of considerable suffering due to the stress of the winter and to the difficulty of securing employment found by a good many. Plans are being considered for relief of the honest and industrious. There is always the danger under such circumstances that professional vagrants from outside may be attracted. If instead of this the close supervision on the part of the police results in an exodus of vagrants and criminals it will much improve the local situation. The police authorities should go forward in the good work they have begun. Every man with a criminal record should be watched with unusual closeness.

CITY FINANCES.

The higher assessment of 1907 will enlarge the municipal revenue for 1908 and add to the bond issuing power. Nevertheless the estimated necessary expenditures for this year exceed the estimated revenues by $690,000. The controller has pared to the quick in his estimates, but the finance committee will have to cut deeper than he has.

This is the moment when the opponents of the charter can with propriety ask whether they played the part of good citizens in defeating it. If it had been ratified, the power of the city to sell bonds would have been greatly increased and many needed permanent improvements could have been cared for at once without trenching on municipal revenues. As it was not ratified, only a few such improvements can be taken in hand, and they will have to be paid for in part out of current revenues.

With the charter the city would have been able to face without difficulty the most serious problem which confronts it. That is the rehabilitation of the water system. Successive municipal administrations, destitute of executive ability, have let it run down so that it will take $10,000,000 to put it in proper shape. A considerable sum in addition to the income of the water department will have to be spent annually for several years to make up for the criminal neglect of the past. This year $2,000,000 will be taken out of the general fund for that purpose. This sum, added to the $2,000,000 it is proposed to use for bridges and other permanent improvements, will more than use up the proceeds of the new bonds.

It is useless to tell what might have been done if the charter had carried. The municipal officers have to face a bad situation and make the best of it. They have got to practice close economy on the one hand and on the other be more active about collecting all that is coming to the city from licenses and other miscellaneous sources. Of the estimated resources for 1908 less than 40 per cent will be provided by general property taxes. The city is more and more dependent on its license receipts, and it should not let a dollar of them get away.

No matter how well the municipal officers may manage, the finances of the city cannot be put on a business footing until it shall have an adequate working capital. It can no more get along without it than a private corporation can. None of the taxes levied for 1908 will be collected until January of 1909, and some will not be collected until the summer of that year. The city anticipates the collection of taxes by borrowing, and the cancer of interest is continually preying on its revenues. The state begins its fiscal year with money enough in the treasury to pay all bills up to tax collecting time. The city is a year behind.

A reform of the financial system of the city seems impossible at present, but its accomplishment would mean millions to Chicago.

EVILS IN UNDERTAKING.

The superintendent of police has wisely abolished a certain system of petty graft that has existed among patrolmen for years. Undertakers have been in the habit of offering rewards for bringing them bodies to be held for examination by the coroner. Long hauls by the patrol wagons have been made because of the commissions received from victims of accident and those who mysteriously die and whose remains are turned over to the police.

There has been a constant war for business among the local undertakers. Many of them are more grasping than the money lender. Of course there are worthy and honorable men who do embalming, but there are others whom the superintendent of police and the coroner wish to check. Hereafter one convicted of bribing a policeman for giving him the corpse of some unfortunate will have his license revoked.

Bodies to be held subject to the orders of the coroner, found on the extreme south side, have been taken to undertakers doing business far north of the river, and victims of the north side have been hauled almost to South Chicago. The policeman selects the place, and when he leaves the establishment he goes away with a fee.

Traffic in human bodies in such a way is a low business which ought never to have grown up.

NO SEAT, NO FARE.

The great majority of people believe in the principle, "No seat, no fare." But the abstract theory is hardly likely to find realization as actual fact for many a day under present transportation conditions. The complaints are most frequent during the rush hours of morning and evening. At that time surface cars, elevated trains, and steam railway coaches are often packed with human beings. The cars and trains follow one another just about as closely as a safe schedule can permit. As a practical matter the patron has to decide between standing up in a crowded car or waiting for a long time until the rush is over. The ordinary American prefers to be a straphanger rather than wait.

The service given by the transportation companies is often exasperating in the extreme. At some time or other every patron notes things which might easily be improved by intelligent management as he looks at the matter. But the real truth is that the facilities which Chicago has for handling its workbound or homebound citizens in the rush hours of the day are not adequate. The city has outgrown the service of the transportation companies.

Certain things must be brought to pass just as soon as possible. The work of rehabilitation of street car lines must be pushed, not next month, not in the spring, but now. The tracks must be relaid so as to bear a heavier traffic. Better and larger cars must be secured up to the carrying capacity of the tracks. More power must be provided. The railroads which have a large suburban business should be studied to discover whether they are doing their best to improve the conditions. But with these things accomplished it is likely that the same unsatisfactory situation will still confront the people of Chicago.

The subway must come soon. The plans for it should be carefully considered. There should be no undue delay about providing a system which must go far toward the solution of the transportation problems of a growing city for the next quarter of a century. The urgent need for speedy relief from the present unsatisfactory conditions of local passenger traffic demands early action looking toward the beginning of actual construction of the underground road.

As indicated before, the limitation of the number of people in a car is restricted by the nervous energy and eagerness of the individual. The regulations in force in European cities regarding the number of seats and standing places in a conveyance would not be tolerated here. The "get there" idea is too powerful. The board of supervising engineers might, however, fix upon the number to be allowed in a car and order this number to be indicated plainly upon the outside of the car. In one of the "pay as you enter" variety it would be easy to regard such a regulation.

But no restriction of the number of individuals to a car or resolution favoring a "no seat, no fare" principle can alter the conditions in local transportation. The facilities are inadequate under the most favorable circumstances. The imperative need of enlargement is faced on every side.

THAT'S what the president thinks of Admiral Brownson.

IT is time for some bluegrass William Allen White to ask the question: "What is the matter with Kentucky?"

IN cases where the new treatment fails to cure the patient there need be no hesitation in trying a few doses of that excellent mixture known as the bishop's beer.

OBSERVE the cautious, yet characteristically luminous manner in which Mr. Cleveland leads up to the proposition: "This suggests without argument a reciprocal connection between the curtailment of opportunities of livelihood on one side and a reasonable obligation of indemnification on the other."

IT took a long time to pry Harbor Engineer Burke loose from his fat little job, but they got the end of the lever under him at last.

HAVEN'T you a nice picture of a holdup man complying with the law against carrying concealed weapons and voluntarily surrendering his battery of magazine guns?

A WOODEN pavement, when made of rectangular blocks that have been creosoted and honestly laid, approaches closely to the ideal.

AT the same time, it is equally important that the thug who merely shoots a private citizen should be hunted down and brought to justice.

AN Ohio judge is a private in the national guard of that state. He would be in a quandary if the troops should be called out while he is trying a case.

IT will be noticed that when a holdup man invades an all night saloon in the early hours of the morning he doesn't neglect the customers who may happen to be there.

IF the Georgians have failed to stock their cellars with the kind of supplies they are likely to need in case of sickness or other emergency, they can't plead that they had no time to attend to the matter.

WHAT is needed in the case of the elevated loop is an operation for the relief of that feeling of depression it confers upon the city.

PROBABLY the first man to suffer from the enforcement of the concealed weapon ordinance will be some belated pedestrian who meets a footpad and has left his gun at home.

IT seems likely that Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner will be the Fernando Jones of the confederate veterans.

"HYSTERICAL exaggeration" and "malicious untruthfulness" ought to hold the critics of the navy for a while.

FOR the benefit of those persons who insist on crowding into street cars that are already full, the companies are willing to furnish straps, as heretofore.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Needless Alarm.

Miss Tartun—"Mr. McBash, this being leap year, let me ask you——"

Diffident Young Man (hastily interrupting)—"O, I beg of you, Miss——"

Miss Tartun—"If you think any self-respecting young woman would go out of her way to ask a dub like you to marry her."

Close Bargain.

It was early in the morning and the two grimy faced, shivering newsboys were warming themselves at the radiator while waiting for their bundles.

"Tony," said the larger one, "got fifteen pennies ye'll sell?"

"Yep," answered the other.

"What'll ye take fur 'em?"

"Wot'll ye give?"

"Give ye a dime."

Tony studied over the proposition.

"Nope," he said, finally; "tain't 'nuff."

"It's a bran' new dime."

"Nuthin doin'."

"Well, I'll give ye a dime an' a smooth nickel."

Tony devoted a longer time to the consideration of this glittering offer.

"Yep," he said; "I'll take 'em, but it ain't a square deal, an' you know it. You're gittin' a darn sight de best o' me."

Gingerly he counted out the fifteen coins, accepted the dime and the smooth nickel in exchange for them, after a prolonged scrutiny, and one early morning business transaction was complete.

No Use for It.

Adam was naming the animals.

"What are you going to call this one?" asked Eve, pointing to the striped little specimen that came next.

"I am not going to call it at all," said Adam, holding his nose. "Send it away!"

This is why the skunk is known by so many different names.

Not Up to Date.

The evidence had shown that the brick which a careless workman had dropped from a scaffolding twenty feet above the surface of the ground had fallen on a man's shoulder and broken a bone, but the jury decided that the victim had no cause of action—the falling of the brick had no necessary connection with the accident.

"Gentlemen," said the judge, "I never heard of such a verdict. You utterly ignore the existence of the law of gravitation."

"That law, your honor," answered the foreman of the jury, "is so old that we decided not to consider it. It's obsolete."

C. W. T.

TAUGHT RUSSIANS HOW TO CHEER.

[Vladivostok Letter in New York Sun.]

At last the banquet proper began and the scene was brilliant, for the Russian officers had on all their glory clothes, with strings of medals on almost every breast. Even our own Gen. Edwards wore three medals, indicating the various army corps and campaigns in which he had served, and he, with the admiral and the captains of our two cruisers, carrying swords, helped to relieve the somber effect of the remainder of the party in their plain black dress coats, which were not to be distinguished from those of the waiters. Fortunately no mistakes of identity were made. When the champagne stage was reached Gen. Irman arose without warning and piped a shrill "'Oorah! 'Oorah!" followed by proposing the health of the president of the United States—and then three "'Oorahs!" were given by every one. Next the health of the secretary was proposed with more shrill "'Oorahs!" Then the secretary toasted the emperor of Russia, and the Americans drowned the "'Oorahs!" in full throated hurrahs, given with a vim. The Russians were taught a lesson in real cheering of the kind which every boy in America learns at the baseball and football games and retains for use at political conventions later in life. Several more toasts were given, with an improvement in the cheers each time.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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WHILE there is no doubt that Princess George of Greece is a comely and accomplished young woman, and that she possesses a huge "dot" of badly tainted money, since it is derived from the part ownership of the great public gambling establishment at Monte Carlo, yet it cannot be denied that she has, by her marriage, endowed her royal husband with some queer relationships. For he becomes by his marriage a nephew of M. and Mme. Edmond Blanc, the former being a brother of Princess George's mother.

Edmond Blanc, who, it is needless to say, is the chief owner and principal manager of the gambling establishment at Monte Carlo, has, in spite of the immense amount of money which he has lavished on the turf, and notwithstanding his possession of the costliest racing stable in France, found the doors of the French Jockey club always closed in his face, and received his cross of the Legion of Honor during the presidency of Jules Grévy through his intimacy with the latter's son-in-law, Daniel Wilson.

In fact, it was the outcry raised in the newspapers over the bestowal upon him of the red ribbon that precipitated what is known as the great Legion of Honor scandal, which compelled Grévy to resign the chief magistracy of the French republic.

Henri Rochefort, discussing the matter in his paper, wittily suggested that possibly the cross had been bestowed upon Blanc for having "arrêté un cheval" (stopped a horse), referring, of course, to the several attempts which have been made to mob Edmond Blanc at races by the public, indignant at the manner in which his horses were run.

Mme. Blanc was formerly Alice Marot, a minor actress of the extremely décolleté Palais Royal theater at Paris, and the divorced wife of a carpenter of the name of Eugene Thomas, the divorce having been pronounced in 1886.

The father of Edmond Blanc—that is to say, the grandfather of Princess George of Greece—François Blanc, founder of the public gambling establishment at Wiesbaden (now closed) and of that at Monte Carlo, was the central figure of a sensational trial in the reign of King Louis Philippe, when he and his brother Louis were shown to have won a quantity of money by bribing the keepers of the semaphore stations to transmit wrong signals in order to enable them to make coups on the stock exchange.

In those days there were no electric wires, and news was transmitted from one end of France to the other by means of huge semaphores located on lofty hills. It was by this method that the stock exchanges of Lyons, Marseilles, and Bordeaux were kept in touch with the bourse at Paris, and in the absence of other means of communication some time naturally had to elapse before any corrections could be made of errors.

The conspiracy, in which François and Louis Blanc were the ringleaders, was laid bare in court in a cause célèbre, the records of which are still on file, and, although the guilt of the people indicted was clearly shown and hardly even denied, yet François Blanc managed to escape punishment on the ground of a technicality, and was able to use the money that he had obtained by this means to found his "tripot" at Wiesbaden.

His wife, Mme. François Blanc, the maternal grandmother of Princess George of Greece, was Marie Hensel, chambermaid of the inn at Wiesbaden where Blanc took up his residence, and where he made her acquaintance.

She was twenty-seven years his junior, and her eldest daughter, Marie Louise, now married to Prince Constantine Radziwill, was born less than five months after their marriage. This Princess Constantine Radziwill is the aunt of Princess George of Greece.

As for the relatives on the father's side, Princess George's grandmother, by whom she was brought up, and who died as Princess Peter Bonaparte, although Prince Peter Bonaparte declined to acknowledge her as such, and figured in the pages of the Almanach de Gotha as a bachelor until his death in 1884, she was the daughter of a working plumber of the name of Jules Ruffin.

From this it will be seen that the relations which have been acquired by Prince George of Greece through his marriage are not precisely of high standing, and that his wife's kinsfolk, living and dead, are, to use a French expression, "subject to caution."

Under the circumstances the panegyrics of the municipal authorities of Athens at the time of the wedding, when they lauded the "glorious and illustrious ancestry" of Princess George, even going so far as to describe her as a "descendant" of the great Emperor Napoleon, have evoked a smile that has extended from one end of Europe to the other.

Had Princess George possessed nothing but her good looks and her accomplishments no one would have cared to criticise the match or would have accorded much attention to the objections raised to the union on the score of her ancestry and sorry relationships, for the affair would have partaken of the nature of a romance, and the world is always kindly disposed towards lovers.

The immense wealth, however, of the princess, the unsavory source of its origin, the vulgar ostentation displayed in connection with the exhibition at Paris of her $300,000 trousseau, and, above all, the preposterous pretensions put forward by her father on the score of his alleged rank, remove any compunction that one might have otherwise felt about criticising the union as an extremely unpleasant mésalliance.

It is worthy of note that the acknowledged chiefs of the Bonaparte family—namely: Prince Victor Napoleon, the imperialist pretender; his brother, Prince Louis Bonaparte of the Russian cavalry; the widowed Empress Eugénie, and Princess Letitia Bonaparte, widowed duchess of Aosta—took no notice whatsoever of the wedding, and neither appeared in person nor were represented by delegates or by gifts.

Inasmuch as G. Macartney, the British consul at Kashgar, in Chinese Turkestan, who is decorated with the Order of the Indian Empire, is returning home to England from his post this month via America, it is to be hoped that no difficulties will be made to his landing at San Francisco, and that he may not be held up there as a Chinaman. For Mr. Macartney is of mixed parentage, his mother having been a Chinese lady of one of the great families of Nanking and a cousin of Sir Li Ching Fong, the new envoy of the Chinese emperor to the court of St. James.

Macartney did not only have a Chinese mother but was likewise born in China, at Nanking, where his father, the late Sir Halliday Macartney, who died as secretary and counselor of the Chinese legation in London, was director of the imperial arsenal.

Sir Halliday's Chinese wife was the daughter of one of the principal mandarins of Nanking and retained her national religion instead of becoming a convert to Christianity. She died after giving birth to a girl and a boy, the present British consul at Kashgar, and was buried at Nanking according to native rites, a beautiful pagoda marking her grave.

The fact of George Macartney belonging, through his mother, to one of the best families in China naturally causes the Chinese dignitaries and natives in Chinese Turkestan to regard him with exceptional good will and respect.

Moreover, it enables him to fathom the mysterious depths of the Chinese character to an extent altogether beyond any European or American who does not happen to be half a Chinaman himself.

It is to him that the scientific world is indebted for the wonderful collection of central Asian MSS. which bears his name. He is, indeed, one of the most able and remarkable of England's splendid corps of civil servants in India and central Asia, and probably will be knighted and converted into "Sir George" Macartney before he returns to his post at Kashgar.

IGNORANCE OF SOUTH AMERICA.

[From the New York Sun.]

One of our contemporaries referred yesterday to "little Paraguay." That republic is four-fifths as large as Germany.

Many persons have erroneous notions as to geographical sizes and lengths in South America. They have not the slightest idea that Brazil is nearly as large as the whole of Europe, that the distance between the north and south ends of Chile is as great as that between the North Cape of Europe and Gibraltar, and that steamers ply almost straight north and south on the Parana and its Paraguay affluent for a distance about equal to that between New York and Omaha.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

THE SECOND MRS. TANQUERAY.

A Domestic Drama in Four Acts.

BY

ARTHUR WING PINERO.

Presented in the Garrick Theater, Chicago, by Mrs. Patrick Campbell and Her Company, Monday, Jan. 6, 1908. The Cast:

Aubrey Tanqueray.....Mr. Ben Webster
Cayley Drummle.....Mr. Edgar Kent
Capt. Hugh Ardale.....Mr. J. Malcolm Dunn
Gordon Jayne.....Mr. Alden Lovett
Frank Misquith, Q. C. M. P.....
.....Mr. Alan Patrick Campbell
Sir George Orreyed.....Mr. Charles Garry
Eilean.....Miss Stella Patrick Campbell
Mrs. Cortelyou.....Miss Margaret Watson
Lady Orreyed.....Miss Florence Wells
Paula.....Mrs. Patrick Campbell

Urged by the same sense of duty that led Hero "Bill" Anthony of the ill fated Maine to state the truth of the explosion politely but positively, "we regret to report" that Mrs. Patrick Campbell and her English company gave an exceedingly poor performance of "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" in the Garrick theater last evening.

There are several ways in which to explain the uninspiring event, but perhaps the most interesting, and likely the most important, is to declare that it is directly traceable to that American luxury, the steam radiator. Mrs. Campbell, like all good English women, despises our steam heating apparatuses. As soon as she finds one buzzing merrily in her hotel room she orders it taken out, and when she is assured it is impossible to remove it she accepts the inevitable and has it shut off.

She refuses to play on a steam heated stage and consequently when she arrived in Dayton, O., the other day, and found the stage and all the dressing rooms cozily warmed for her reception, she promptly ordered the stage doors and most of the windows opened and the place cooled off. Now Mrs. Patrick Campbell is all but ill with la grippe, la bronchitis, la pneumonia, and la cold in the head. Last night it was hard for her to speak without coughing, and her effort to save her voice as much as possible made her spoken words frequently indistinct and muffled. This, of course, interfered with the emphasis and expression of practically every speech and, seeing that her company reflected her mood, it gave the performance the aspect of a rehearsal.

The circumstance is to be regretted. Paula Tanqueray is, according to most of her admirers, the great Campbell rôle, and much is expected of the actress when she plays it. There is never a shade of disappointment in the result when she is up to it. It was the late Hillary Bell who six years ago in New York, when she first appeared there as Paula, cleverly confined his criticism to two and a half lines of type:

"Mrs. Campbell is not 'The Second Mrs. Tanqueray,'" he declared; "she is the first and only Mrs. Tanqueray." Brevity is the soul of wit, and in this case it became the impenetrable armor of conviction.

The second Mrs. Tanqueray represents a decidedly intellectual study of "that sort of woman," and Mrs. Campbell is quite as decidedly an intellectual actress. To many her art is unresponsive, cold, and consequently brittle. But it seldom is uninteresting and never shallow or meaningless. It is also true that it is encompassed in the projection of a personality, but there is a vast difference between an actress with a personality and a personality actress. Maxine Elliott is a personality actress, Duse is an actress with a personality. Personality, in truth, is the seal of genius, if it may be so expressed, and serves the artist player as his choice of colors and subjects serves the artist painter. It is all the greatest have to give us, and a memory of their distinctive individualities is all they have to leave. We remember Mansfield for the way he did this or that, but we always see Mansfield back of the character.

It is so with the creations of every great actor. Booth fitted Hamlet, Hamlet was never fitted to Booth. Bernhardt is a great Camille; there never was a Camille like Bernhardt. Irving's Louis XI. was impressive, but it was Irving's king and not history's.

And so it is with the characters Mrs. Campbell has made her own. Mrs. Campbell the woman is always firmly set in the foreground, though Mrs. Campbell the actress impresses the character she presents indelibly upon the mind. Her Paula Tanqueray and her Magda are, rightly enough, much the same woman, and yet to any who has seen both they are distinctly differentiated.

Paula Tanqueray is not a sympathetic character, but it is one that pictures much. It is the fight of an earnest soul against that social ostracism of which one of its characters speaks: "You may dive into many waters, but there is one social dead sea." Paula Tanqueray had cast virtue aside when nothing seriously mattered to her, and when she tried to regain the position she had lost she found the barriers impassable.

She longed to be "respectable," and she lived a better life than many "respectable" women do live. She wanted to be a married woman, and she was true to the vows she took. But it was all of no avail. If she had not died, she had at least thoughtlessly waded into the waters of the dead sea, and never again could she free herself from the slime that clung to her.

She is not a lovely character, but she strikes a note of human pity that reaches far. She hungers for the love of her husband's daughter, and it is denied her, and when she sees that she has made a failure of her own life and of the lives of those with whom she has come in contact she is brave enough to die. And the story of her life, thus in some way redeemed in the social court by her self-destruction, makes for powerful drama.

As a play, however, "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," for all that it is expertly written, is either beginning to creak slightly with age, or the manner of its presentation last evening gave this impression. It was halting and cumbersome, heavy and at times tedious. And it never has been tedious before. Perhaps it was the men. The play is largely dependent on its men, and Mrs. Campbell's selections were about as responsive as so many billets of wood.

There was absolutely no "lift" to the performance. It was depressing rather than impressive, save for an occasional flash of that fire, that voicing of a true defense that Mrs. Campbell always rises to so finely. Such a moment came in the second act, in Paula's first stand against what she conceived to be a conspiracy of the conventionalists. Her third act scenes also were fairly well done, though her lack of interest served throughout the evening to accentuate her mannerisms.

In her company this season the actress introduces her daughter, Stella Patrick Campbell, and her son, Alan Patrick Campbell, just retired from the British navy. Therefore it may be pertinent to suggest that "the Campbells are (still) coming." The young woman is slight of build and pretty of feature, resembling her mother closely. She played the gentle Eilean earnestly and satisfactorily, though with every evidence of a limited experience. The boy had but the small part of Dr. Misquith in the first act and disclosed no more definite mark of talent than a somewhat obvious makeup.

The delightful Cayley Drummle was earnestly pecked at by Edgar Kent; Ben Webster played Tanqueray with stolid conventionality; J. Malcolm Dunn (late of the New theater) was the disappointed lover, arousing little sympathy for the chap, and Margaret Watson was a fair Mrs. Cortelyou.

The setting of the first two acts was noticeably cheap; that of the last two an improvement. The audience was of good size and polite without being enthusiastic.

BURNS MANTLE.

We Want them Both.

The liner Victoria, which left Liverpool last week for New York, took out "2,000 canaries and other English song birds." It would thus appear that in the states at present there is a demand not only for gold from England but for notes.—Black and White.

New York Idea.

A westerner visting New York was held up by a highwayman with the demand, "Give me your money or I'll blow your brains out!"

"Blow away," said the westerner. "You can live in New York without brains, but you can't without money."—Christian Register.

CHURCH TALKS OF NEW PLANS AFTER FIFTY YEARS' GROWTH.

Universalist Church of the Redeemer Celebrates First of Semi-Centennial Services of the Week.

After a conflict of fifty years with the so-called "city problems," in which it gradually has yielded, the Universalist Church of the Redeemer last night declared it "will not be relegated further to the suburbs."

The occasion was the opening session of the semi-centennial celebration. Fifty years ago yesterday the church was founded by the Rev. A. C. Barry in Union street, between Washington and Randolph streets. It now stands at Robey street and Warren avenue, nearly three miles west of the original location.

Printed circulars of the church's plans were distributed. They comprise the establishment of an institutional church, as announced by Dr. Bartlett last Sunday.

"We're going to have every kind of helpful bureau but a matrimonial bureau," was the way one church member put it.

"Yes, and that is more or less implied," returned the pastor.

The churches of the neighborhood will hold a symposium tonight in the church parlors. Tomorrow night Charles Clark will give a stereopticon lecture on "Old Chicago" and the history of the church.

LAKE COUNTY LEAGUE FIGHTS BARS NEAR NAVAL SCHOOL.

Row of Saloons Building in North Chicago at Edge of Mile and an Eighth Dry Zone—Fear a New Highwood.

A campaign is being waged by the Lake County Law and Order league to prevent the erection of a large number of saloons at the edge of the mile and an eighth zone of dry territory which surrounds the Naval Training school at Lake Bluff. The United States government is using its influence against the saloons.

The saloonkeepers who were forced out of business at Highwood have suddenly realized the possibilities in the projected school, and have swept down on North Chicago. At the northern limit of the dry territory a row of saloons two blocks long is in process of erection. The property is now in dry territory, but an ordinance has been introduced in the village council permitting the erection of the saloons. It is for the defeat of this ordinance that the Law and Order league is working.

The mayor and two members of the village council are against the ordinance. The attitude of the other four members is in doubt.

MUNICIPAL JUDGES SHIFTED; CLELAND LEAVES GHETTO.

Uncertainty as to Whether or Not Parole System Will Be Continued—Changes at Harrison Street Branch.

A general shift in the assignments of the Municipal court judges was announced yesterday by Chief Justice Olson in accordance with the plan to make transfers annually.

The change that is likely to cause the most interest is the removal of Judge Cleland from the Maxwell street branch, where he has built up an extensive parole system, to branch No. 2, 148 Michigan street, to hear civil cases. Whether or not Judge Himes, who is assigned to succeed Judge Cleland, will follow the same system in dealing with offenders in the Ghetto district is not known.

Changes are made in both the judges sitting at the Harrison street branch, where the bulk of downtown crime gets its airing. Judge Newcomer, at his own request, will be transferred to the Criminal Court building to assist Judge Heap. Sadler will take up the hearing of quasi criminal cases, which has been Judge Scovel's work.

Judge Wells, who has been sitting on the bench of the civil court, is to replace Judge Sadler, and Judge Crowe will replace Judge Newcomer.

SUES TO DISPOSSESS RECTOR.

A. J. Flitcraft Seeks to Oust the Rev. E. V. Shayler from Clubhouse Used as Church Annex.

A. J. Flitcraft, former owner of a clubhouse at 641 South Scoville avenue, Oak Park, which he sold recently to the Catholic archbishop of Chicago, began suit yesterday to dispossess its present tenant, the Rev. E. V. Shayler, and Robert O. Thompson, janitor of Grace Episcopal church, who lives in the clubhouse.

Dr. Shayler contends that the building has been leased to the Episcopal church until Aug. 1, 1908, to be used as an annex to the church, but Mr. Flitcraft asserts that Dr. Shayler was never more than a "tenant from month to month."

Under date of Jan. 1 Mr. Flitcraft has printed a pamphlet including the correspondence between himself and Dr. Shayler from May 16 to Dec. 7. The pamphlet is entitled, "History of a Misunderstanding: How E. V. Shayler Obtained Possession of the Clubhouse at No. 641 South Scoville Avenue, Oak Park, Illinois."

SEEK TO STOP FRAUD IN FEED.

Hay and Grain Dealers Have Prepared an Ordinance to Enforce Honest Weight.

An ordinance to prevent unfair practices among feed dealers is being prepared by a committee of the Wholesale Hay and Grain Dealers' association of the board of trade to be presented to the city council next Monday night. The essential provision of the ordinance is that the teamster must deliver to the customer a certificate showing the gross, tare, and net weight of every load before delivering it. It is believed that this will do away with the dishonest practices which have given the dishonest dealer an unfair advantage over his upright rival.

DEATH ON 'L' DUE TO ACCIDENT

Brother of Lyman W. Barber Abandons Murder Theory After Testimony at Inquest.

Belief that Lyman W. Barber, secretary of the Standard Car Truck company, whose mutilated body was found on the tracks of the South Side "L" early Sunday morning, was murdered was abandoned yesterday by his brother, J. C. Barber, on testimony brought out at an inquest held at Ryan's undertaking rooms, 2449 Cottage Grove avenue. The inquest was continued until Friday afternoon, but sufficient evidence was submitted to convince the relatives that he was the victim of an accident.

SIGNS LAW ON SPIRITUALISTS.

Mayor Approves the Ordinance Against Protests, Forbidding Advertising of Necromancy.

The protest of mediums and spiritualists against the ordinance passed by the city council recently forbidding the advertising of spiritualism or necromancy proved unavailing, and the ordinance was signed yesterday by Mayor Busse. After signing it the mayor instructed Chief Shippy not to interfere with the work of the spiritualists unless fraud was practiced.

DROPS COL. BURKE'S OFFICE.

Position of Harbor Engineer Abolished by Commissioner Hanberg to Save Money.

It was announced yesterday that the position of harbor engineer held by Col. Ricard O'Sullivan Burke has been abolished by Commissioner of Public Works John Hanberg. His duties are to be performed by City Bridge Engineer Thomas G. Philfeldt. Economy was the reason.

BREAD ORDINANCE IS PASSED; TEST OF VALIDITY PROMISED.

Prosecutions for Violations Will Not Be Started Until Supreme Court Declares Measure Constitutional.

The bread ordinance, fixing a pound loaf as the standard, was passed by the city council last night with the understanding that there will be no prosecutions for violations until the validity of the ordinance has been tested in the Supreme court. A test case will be started at once.

The ordinance, which was called up by Ald. Dever, permits the sale of bread in loaves of a half and three-quarter pounds and one, two, three, four, five, and six pounds, requiring bakers to affix labels of at least one inch in diameter showing the weight.

Ald. Bennett had passed an ordinance recommended by the finance committee, giving the corporation counsel authority to settle the claims of property owners for damages resulting from the removal of viaducts in Halsted street, and Center and Blue Island avenues. The total amount of the claims which will be allowed by the city, if the property owners decide to settle without litigation, is about $200,000.

Ald. Zimmer had passed the ordinance authorizing the board of education to purchase a ten acre tract between St. Louis and Central Park avenues, to be used in enlarging the grounds of the parental school.

Resolutions in commemoration of the late Dr. Nicholas Senn were offered by Ald. Taylor of the Twenty-first ward, and were adopted by a rising vote.

J. R. MANN ANSWERS CHARGES MADE BY REAL ESTATE BOARD.

Letter from Congressman in Which He Declares Reports Are Made from False Statements Made Public.

Congressman James R. Mann has made public a letter he has sent to the sanitary district committee of the real estate board in reply to one charging him with working for the Calumet district as against the Chicago river. He says that the committee's report was based on false statements.

In part Mr. Mann's letter follows:

"While I have been a friend of the Chicago river, I have also been a friend of the Calumet river. I own no property which would be benefited by improvement of the Calumet river, but I have steadily worked for the improvement of that stream. The commerce which goes to the Calumet river would, generally speaking, not go to the Chicago river. Do you think it wise for those interested in the improvement of the Chicago river to throw rocks at the Calumet river projects, when you cannot possibly gain anything by it, except to arouse opposition?"

Mr. Mann's letter was addressed to Edward A. Halsey, chairman of the sanitary district committee of the real estate board.

ATTACHMENTS FOR THREE MEN WHO IGNORE JURY SUMMONS.

Report That Arthur Meeker and Chas. N. Hewitt Were Among the Trio Proves to Be Erroneous.

Attachments for three men who failed to respond when their names were called for grand jury service were issued yesterday morning by Judge Windes. The men were:

James W. Phillips, 1419 Humboldt boulevard.
John Callahan, 3811 Washtenaw avenue.
Henry C. Odell, 355 St. Louis avenue.

The report that Arthur Meeker, general manager of Armour & Co., was one of the men for whom the attachment papers were issued was erroneous. Mr. Meeker sent an explanation to the judge that because of an operation to which he submitted a few weeks ago for the extraction of a piece of glass from his foot, he was unable to serve. Mr. Meeker added that he did not believe in "shirking jury duty." The explanation was accepted and Mr. Meeker was excused.

Thomas W. Snell, superintendent of the National Fire Proofing company, was appointed foreman of the jury.

NO FAVORITISM AT HOSPITAL.

County Board Adopts Resolution That Surgeons Must Take Cases in Regular Rotation.

A close contest occurred at the meeting of the county board of commiss

NEWS OF THE SOCIETY WORLD

Wedding of Miss Heisen and Mr. Blanchard Forbes Tonight.

CEREMONY WILL BE SIMPLE.

Several Affairs Arranged for Mrs. Richard Harding Davis.

Society is pausing from charity affairs long enough to find interest in the brides, and not a little of this interest is claimed by Miss Mamie Heisen, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Heisen, 65 Lake Shore drive, who, since her début some four years ago, has been considered one of the handsomest of the Chicago young women. Miss Heisen will wed Mr. Blanchard Forbes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Forbes of Richmond, Va., the service to be quietly celebrated this evening at 8 o'clock at the family home. The Rev. Z. Barney Phillips will officiate. Miss Heisen will have but one attendant—Mrs. E. D. Hotchkiss of Richmond, sister of Mr. Forbes, and Mr. W. P. Forbes will serve his brother as best man.

The bridal gown is empire in style and is fashioned of duchess satin and trimmed with duchess lace. The veil is of tulle and the bridal bouquet of white orchids. Mrs. Hotchkiss will wear white chiffon cloth trimmed with silver embroidery and will carry lavender orchids. The future home is to be in Richmond, where the bride and groom will receive after Feb. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Heisen have sent both their daughters to Virginia as brides, the elder, Miss Myrtle Heisen, having married Mr. Malcolm Bruce of that state two seasons ago.

Mrs. Heisen returned yesterday from New Haven, where she has been at the bedside of her son, Carl C. Heisen Jr., for the last fortnight. It was the expectation that she would be able to bring him with her on her return that he might be at home for his sister's marriage, but a slight relapse made this impossible, and, although he is convalescing, Mrs. Heisen may return to care for him until he is fully recovered. Last night Mr. and Mrs. Heisen gave a dinner for the bridal party and out of town guests, later taking the company to the theater.

The visit of Mrs. Richard Harding Davis to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Clark, 2000 Prairie avenue, is of much interest. Mrs. Davis has made but a few short visits since her marriage some years ago, and her return to Chicago at this time will be the signal for a number of affairs which the friends who knew her as Miss Cecil Clark are arranging. No large events have been planned but a number of small luncheons and dinners will be given before her return to the east next week.

Word comes from the east that Mr. E. Parmalee Prentice has leased for five years the Frederick G. Smedley farm of 333 acres at Williamstown, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Prentice (Alta Rockefeller) spent several summers there prior to their lease of Taconlo lodge on Onota lake, Pittsfield, Mass.

Mrs. Minna Field Gibson, who is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, in Washington, is to sail the latter part of this month with Mr. and Mrs. Page for an indefinite stay abroad.

Lieut. and Mrs. U. S. Grant III., who were in the city recently as the guests of Mrs. Potter Palmer, have left Washington, where they spent the holidays with Mrs. Grant's parents, Secretary and Mrs. Root. Lieut. Grant's leave of absence has almost expired and they have gone to Brookline, Mass., to open their new home.

Mrs. W. J. Chalmers is again confined to her bed. Mrs. Chalmers was taken ill after the tableaux vivants, which she managed, but last week was almost fully recovered from the attack of nervousness and cold.

Judge A. B. Anderson of Indianapolis was given a luncheon at the University club yesterday, the hosts being Otto Gresham, William B. Austin, Dr. George W. Hall, Henry A. Ritter, and other fellow alumni of Wabash college.

Mrs. Ferdinand W. Peck, 1826 Michigan avenue, entertained at bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Charles H. Simms, who has been spending the holidays in the city.

Mrs. Hayden Bartlett Harris, 4559 Greenwood avenue, will give a luncheon tomorrow for Miss Keim, who is the guest of Mrs. Harris' mother, Mrs. A. W. Small.

Mrs. Lyman A. Walton, 5737 Woodlawn avenue, will give a dinner this evening.

The marriage of Miss Anna Stein, daughter of Mrs. Sig. Stein, 3421 Vernon avenue, to Frank J. Fox will be celebrated tomorrow at the family home. Owing to the recent accidental death of a near relative of the bride, the wedding will be a quiet celebration, neither bride nor groom to be attended. They will be at home after Jan. 13 at 5221 Michigan avenue.

The marriage of Miss Hortense Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson, 4319 Vincennes avenue, to Mr. Samuel B. Schwab of Columbus, Miss., will take place tomorrow at the family residence.

The Woodlawn Park club will present two plays, "The Rehearsal" and "Two Heads Are Better than One," at the clubhouse this evening. Both plays were written by Mrs. Mary Moncure Parker and will be presented by the Colonial dramatic corps. Eight young women will dance a shepherdess dance and a quartet will sing between the acts.

Mrs. W. H. McDoel and her daughter, Miss Florence Neff, have been visiting in Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Duback and Miss Josephine Duback of the Metropole leave on Sunday for Augusta, Ga., to spend a few weeks.

Miss Vesta Grimes of Paw Paw, Mich., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richard Donahue, Oak Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiting G. Press and Miss Press are at the Lakota hotel for the winter.

SOCIETY AT NATION'S CAPITAL.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Draper Entertain at Dinner in Honor of Diplomats and Members of Congress.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. William F. Draper entertained at dinner this evening having as their guests the Italian ambassador and Baroness Mayor des Planches, the British ambassador and Mrs. Bryce, Senator and Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Senator and Mrs. Julius C. Burrows, Justice and Mrs. Holmes, Rear Admiral and Mrs. William Sheffield Cowles, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Fahnestock, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. William Corcoran Hill, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Hinckley, and Senator Montagna and Señor Centaro of the Italian embassy.

The secretary of commerce and labor and Mrs. Straus gave a dinner tonight at their home in Sixteenth street, entertaining the Brazilian ambassador and Mme. Nabuco, the Mexican ambassador and Mme. Creel, Justice and Mrs. Harlan, Justice and Mrs. Brown, Gen. and Mrs. Bell, Gen. and Mrs. Gillespie, Representative and Mrs. J. W. Dwight, Representative and Mrs. Herbert Parsons, Col. James, military attaché of the British embassy, and Mrs. James, Mr. and Mrs. Hockstadter of New York, son-in-law and daughter of Secretary and Mrs. Straus, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kohns and Dr. Sternberger of New York, and Miss Gilmore.

At the home of the counselor of the French embassy and Mme. des Portes, a dinner party was given tonight by Mlle. Guilmette des Portes, who celebrated her twenty-first birthday by giving a dinner complimentary to duke de Chaulnes of Paris, who came over from New York for the occasion. The other guests were vicomte and vicomtesse de Martel of the French embassy, Miss Theodora Shonts, fiancée of duke de Chaulnes, Miss Nellie Patten, Miss Robeson, Miss Morgan, Baron Haymerle, and M. Szent Ivany of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, Herr von Schubert of the German embassy and Sig. Cora of the Italian embassy.

Representative Frank Lowden of Illinois entertained at dinner tonight all the members of the Illinois delegation in congress.

Miss Cannon gave a luncheon today at which Mrs. Bryce, wife of the British ambassador, was one of the guests. The other guests were Mrs. Fairbanks, Miss Phelps, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Fahnestock, Mrs. Symons, Mrs. Pinchot, Mrs. Clover, Mrs. Audenreid, Mrs. John A. Logan, Mrs. Wayne Parker, Mrs. Fassett, Mrs. Boutell, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Fort of Chicago, and her niece, Miss Clara Boal, and Mrs. Leseuer, Speaker Cannon's other daughter, who is visiting him and Miss Cannon.

INMATES OF BETHESDA HOME FACING A SERIOUS PLIGHT.

Only One Day's Food on Hand for the Twenty-eight Old Men and Women in the Institution.

With only enough food on hand for today the twenty-eight old men and women in Frank F. Henning's Bethesda home for the aged are facing a serious plight unless charitably inclined persons come to their rescue. They have five tons of coal that was donated yesterday, but have only $12 left for the purchase of provisions.

Contrary to expectations, even the aid that would result from the home being placed in the hands of the federal court failed to materialize. The voluntary bankrutpcy petition filed by Attorney F. A. Bingham on behalf of the home could not be entertained by the court. A corporation can be placed in bankruptcy only on petition of creditors. It cannot become a voluntary bankrupt. Attorney Bingham immediately took steps to perfect his petition, and this will be done today or tomorrow.

The meeting of the women of the Bethesda Ladies' Aid was postponed on account of the failure of the members to appear at the home. President Henning came in during the day, and greeted his unfortunate wards. He finished mailing some circulars soliciting aid for the institution, and then departed.

FIRE SCARE IN BIG BUILDING.

Women Only Are Carried Down in Elevators and Men and Boys Use the Stairways.

"Ladies before gentlemen," as a fixed policy, prevented a panic yesterday afternoon in the six story Traders' Safe and Trust building, at 261 La Salle street. An explosion of celluloid moving picture films filled the upper part of the building with smoke and started a small blaze.

The two elevator boys—John Dunn, 290 West Fifteenth street, and Albert Black, 3805 Rhodes avenue—ran their cars to the top floor, and then, allowing only women as passengers, made successive trips through clouds of smoke until all the women were carried to the ground floor. The men were left to the stairways and fire escapes.

The fire was confined entirely to the plant of the Royal Film company, which occupies the third floor, and the first firemen on the scene had little difficulty in extinguishing it.

Piggins Doesn't Like His Name.

George J. Piggins, 32 years old, asked permission of Judge Barnes yesterday to change his name to George J. Gilmore. He is interested in county fairs as a manager of carnivals, and he assumed the name Gilmore many years ago because he did not like the name Piggins.

PRESBYTERY LETS YOUNG GO

Secret Action When Pastor of Buena Park Church Resigns.

ONE MEMBER TALKS OUT.

Conference Members Refuse to Discuss Matter on Adjournment.

Mystery as thick as a London fog hung over the deliberations of the Chicago presbytery in room 913 Masonic temple, yesterday morning when the subject of the acceptance or denial of the Rev. Robert J. Young request to be relieved of his charge as pastor of the Buena Memorial church was discussed. It was finally granted.

For over two hours a reporter, an anxious member of the Buena church, and an agitated clergyman who was to have delivered an address on Job, waited in the hall while the momentous question was argued in executive session of the presbytery and the voices of the ministers penetrated even the thick doors of the lodge room.

The presbytery meeting ran smoothly along with open doors until Dr. W. S. P. Bryan, moderator, announced that matters of resignation were in order. Dr. Young arose and in a voice that shook with emotion asked that he be allowed to resign to accept the call of the Church of the Covenant of Detroit without further discussion.

Little consideration was paid to this wish. B. T. Van Allen as chairman of a committee representing the congregation of the church, rose and read a report recommending that Dr. Young's resignation be rejected. The report expressed the entire satisfaction of the congregation with the work of the pastor. It stated that by his efforts the number of members had been increased from 63 to over 200, and that by a vote of 50 to 18 the resignation had been denied by the congregation. A brother called the attention of the chair to the desirability of having the meeting private and so the presbytery went into executive session.

Church Member Expresses Himself.

The member of the church who waited with the reporter and the impatient lecturer on Job in the ante-room expressed himself as follows on the situation:

"You know the Wallers built the Buena church and think that that fact has given them the right to dictate its policies in perpetuity. The leaders of the Waller faction are Henry S. Osborne, who married a Waller, and is attorney for the Waller estate, and his warm friend, Andrew Stevenson. Both of them have peculiar religious ideas and wish to run the church on the radical evangelical plan of the Moody church. Because Dr. Young did not fall in with their views in this regard they took it upon themselves nine months ago to ask him to resign. To hurry matters along Stevenson wrote a letter to Dr. Young telling him in a most disagreeable way that seven-eighths of the congregation were against him and that he was not wanted. That is why you have to wait out here. At the meeting of the congregation at which Dr. Young's resignation was considered every family was represented and only the thirteen partisans voted to accept his resignation."

Long before the doors were opened the reverend lecturer on Job had lost his patience and indignantly departed. The mystery cast around the doings of the presbytery after the meeting by those who had been present would have aroused the curiosity of the most indifferent.

Told to Say Nothing.

"We are under a bond of secrecy. We can tell nothing," said one excited individual. "You had better see the stated clerk."

"There was nothing but most earnest expressions of brotherly love and good will," said the clerk. "There was no trouble, no unpleasantness. See Dr. Bryan."

"Dr. Young's request that he be allowed to resign was granted. That is the sum and substance of what happened," said the moderator.

"Does it usually take two hours' vigorous debate in executive session to accept a minister's resignation?" he was asked.

"Ah! here is Dr. Young himself," he replied. "He will tell you all about it."

But the doctor professed more ignorance than any one spoken to.

COOKE KEEPS OUT OF CELL; THAT MANDATE STILL 'ON WAY'

Chris Mamer Said Court's Order Has Been Sent, but It Doesn't Arrive—Efforts Made for Supersedeas.

John A. Cooke, the convicted politician, gained another day's respite from the necessity of beginning to serve his sentence in the penitentiary. This was due to the failure of the Supreme court's mandate to arrive in Chicago. How much further he can delay the matter depends on the good offices of his friend Chris Mamer, who, as clerk of the Supreme court, has the mandate in his possession.

If the mandate does not arrive today or tomorrow, it will look as if Mamer does not intend to send it until compelled to. He has it in his power to keep Cooke at liberty for nearly a month at least. The only recourse is for State's Attorney Healy to appear before the Supreme court at its next term, which is in February, and demand the issuance of the order. Until then the hands of the local prosecuting authorities are tied effectually.

Mamer returned to Springfield yesterday morning. Before he left he said that he supposed the mandate was in the mail on its way to State's Attorney Healy. He said he had given orders on Saturday that it be mailed at once. He added that if when he returned he found that these orders had not been obeyed he would see that the mandate should be forwarded at once.

Mr. Healy waited until the last mail in the afternoon with a view to filing the mandate before some judge in the Criminal court as soon as it should arrive. He said he assumed that it would reach Chicago today. As soon as the order reaches the state's attorney's office it will be filed with the court and a capias issued and given to the sheriff to serve on Cooke. He will be taken to the county jail at once preparatory to taking him to Joliet.

LECTURES AND ENTERTAINMENTS

Men's clubs of west side churches will hold a Sunday closing rally on Friday evening at Central Park Presbyterian church. The principal address will be by Oliver W. Stewart. Mr. Stewart will speak tomorrow evening on the same subject at Bowman hall, at West Fifty-ninth and Aberdeen streets, and on Thursday evening at Grace Reformed church.

The story of the battle of Gettysburg from the standpoint of Mrs. La Salle Corbell Pickett, widow of the confederate general, will be told to Phil Sheridan post, G. A. R., at Scoville institute on Saturday evening. Mrs. Rickett gives her lecture from notes made by herself and her husband during the war.

The question of vaccination will be discussed by members of the Chicago Homeopathic Medical society at its meeting this evening at the Public Library building.

Judge Frank P. Sadler will deliver an address on "Chicago Atmosphere" before the Men's club of St. Martin's church, Midway park and Waller avenue, tomorrow evening.

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Second Floor.

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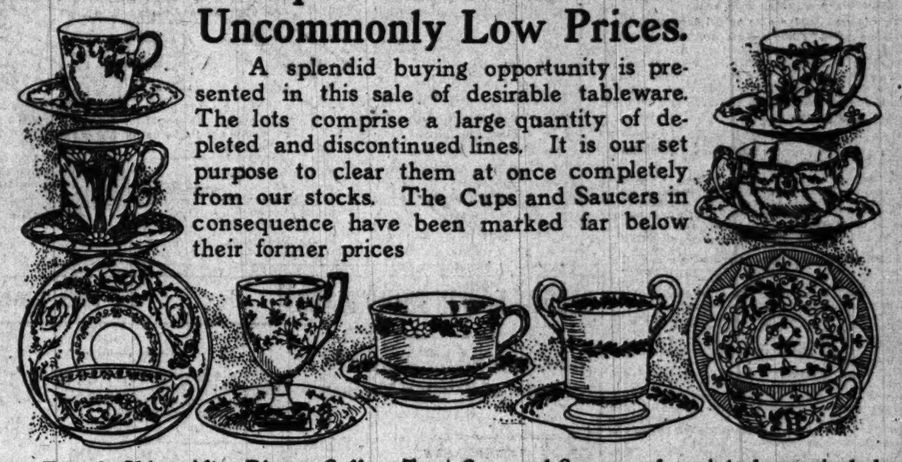

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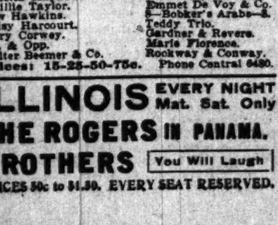

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National Commission Meets. Ryan Will Quit New Orleans. Dixon Dead.

MINORS WILL NOT INVADE CHICAGO.

National Commission Turns Down Request of American Association.

REBUKE GIVEN THE A. A.

No Change in Circuit Now to Be Made; Herrmann Re-elected Chairman.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The annual meeting of the national baseball commission convened at the Sinton hotel this morning with a full membership of the commission and a large number of baseball magnates in attendance to take up various matters of interest with the authorized leaders of the baseball world.

During the afternoon representatives of the minor leagues presented requests and grievances that were taken under consideration. That President O'Brien of the American association still clings to his plan of invading Chicago with a team was evidenced by his request that he be allowed under the national agreement to accomplish such designs. The members of the commission did not believe it within their province to grant such privilege and denied the petition.

Invasion Scheme Abandoned.

President O'Brien's request to enter Chicago was contained in a set of resolutions that touched on the Campbell case and also set forth the claim that a third team in Chicago, if recognized by the national agreement, would not interfere with the business of the teams of the older leagues now in possession of the field. The request was promptly denied, however.

After the meeting President O'Brien stated the attempt to invade Chicago would now be abandoned and that the American association would remain in the field it now occupies.

President O'Brien also asked for a revision of the drafting rules so that a class A league could draft on class B leagues, and class B on class C leagues, etc. He also wants a rule passed prohibiting a team from carrying more than twenty-five players, and asked for a ruling prohibiting the sale and repurchase of players.

Commission Makes Reply.

The reply of the commission to President O'Brien, in part, follows:

1. The commission will present the A. A. request to the two major leagues at their meeting next month, but will recommend that the request be not allowed. The commission does not think it would be a wise precedent to establish to allow a minor league club to invade major league territory.

2. The commission has no power to change the drafting rules as requested. All such changes involve amendments to the national agreement, which must be made by the three parties to the agreement, not by the national commission.

3. The commission will favor the limiting of each major league club to twenty-five players, and only twenty during the playing season, provided that all parties to the national agreement are agreeable.

4. The commission will stand by the agreement with the Pacific Coast league to the effect that it is always to remain in the highest class. It believes that the Southern league is also entitled to membership in class A, but the cases of the Southern and Western leagues are left entirely to the National association.

5. The commission does all in its power to prevent the practice of covering up players.

6. This resolution is looked upon by the commission as a bit of impertinence. Every blacklisted player will be given a chance to defend himself. Both club owners and players will always be treated with equal fairness. The commission will submit to no dictation on this subject.

Chairman Herrmann's report showed that the commission had decided 90 cases during the last year, and that 3,067 letters and telegrams figured in these decisions. During the year the commission expended $106,348.05, of which $97,728.50 was paid in the world's championship series.

Secretary Bruce's report showed that during the year the major leagues had paid $131,475 for players drafted, and $82,026 for players purchased outright.

Herrmann Is Re-elected.

August Herrmann was reelected chairman and John E. Bruce secretary of the commission.

The afternoon session was an open one. The meetings of Herrmann vs. Powers, and Pulliam vs. Barker were postponed because of the nonappearance of Powers and Barker. President Dreyfuss of the Pittsburg club said that he was willing to let Cincinnati have Tommy Leach, but that he would have to have the consent of Manager Clarke, to whom he had wired, before he could close a deal.

The commission handed down a decision allotting J. J. Quinn of Pottsville, Pa., to the Toledo club of the American association. He had signed with the Philadelphia National under the name of Jack Pious. The closing event of the annual meeting was an informal dinner this evening.

EDDIE HAHN SIGNS CONTRACT.

Outfielder Is Fourth of Sox Team to Get in Line—Chance Has a Lame Foot.

President Comiskey received the signed contract of Eddie Hahn yesterday. Hahn was the fourth of the White Sox tribe to sign for next season.

The little outfielder, who is at Nevada, O., writes he is in the best of condition and ready for the training trip. Comiskey denied the report that Lee Quillin had been disposed of to Milwaukee, saying he had had no offers from that club and that he would make no trades until after Feb. 1.

President Murphy of the Cubs yesterday received a letter from Manager Chance. The leader of the world's champions is in good condition except for a lame left foot. He is having an X-ray examination made to determine if any of the ligaments or bones are misplaced. Chance wants the team to stay two days at West Baden, and this will necessitate leaving Chicago on March 3. The first game will be at Vicksburg March 25.

On April 9, when the Cubs play at Terre Haute, the home of Mordecai Brown, the Elks lodge there will give a big reception for the champions. It will be known as Brown day. Following the Vicksburg game, the schedule is as follows:

Montgomery, Ala., March 26 and 27.
Atlanta, Ga., March 28 and 30.
Chattanooga, Tenn., March 31 (with Toledo).
Birmingham, Ala., April 1, 2, and 3.
Memphis, Tenn., April 4 and 5.
Nashville, Tenn., April 6 and 7.
Evansville, Ind., April 8.
Terre Haute, Ind., April 9.
Fort Wayne, Ind., April 10.
Indianapolis, Ind., April 11.
Dayton, O., April 12 and 13.

The team will remain at Dayton until the opening day of the season and then go to Cincinnati.

CITY LEAGUE DROPS GUNTHERS.

Manager Niesen Fails to Post Forfeit and His Club Is Expelled—New Park to Be Built.

The Gunthers were expelled from the new City Baseball league at a meeting of that organization last night for failure on the part of Manager Niesen to post his forfeit of $2,000. In place of the Gunther club it was stated by Jimmy Callahan of the Logan Squares and Vice President Tom Keelin that a new park in Niesen's territory immediately would be built. In addition it was further stated a fifth park would be admitted and the name of Riverview park was cited as a most likely candidate. An extra traveling team also will be admitted, making a circuit of twelve clubs.

Bonds of the clubs which were admitted, Logan Squares, Auburn Park, the West Ends, Spaldings, Marquettes, Athletics, and South Chicagos, were posted at the meeting. The communication from the "independents" asking for a conference between the "ins" and "outs" to take up the question of reservation of players and territorial rights was tabled and the City league will take no notice of it.

Earlier in the day the "independents" held a meeting, at which it was voted to continue last year's organization. The annual meeting of this organization will be held tonight. The "independents" took punitive action against the City league by voting to affiliate with the Amateur Managers' league and promised President A. R. Tearney of that organization they would join him. Tearney offered to resign the presidency of his organization in favor of "Billy" Niesen, but it was said he would not take it.

THE TROUBLESOME YOUTH.

GEROUX NOW IN THIRD PLACE

North Side Player Rolls 689 in Singles of Bowling Tourney.

GETS THREE GOOD TOTALS.

Old Time Stars Perform in Minor Events Without Success.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

FIVE MEN TEAMS.

Eclipse	2,827	Schindlers A	2,705
Lipmans	2,774	La Matildas	2,705
Colonnas No. 3	2,705	Colonnas No. 6	2,704
Acmes	2,748	Federals	2,664
Crescents No. 1	2,739	Brunswicks	2,663
Colonnas No. 1	2,730	Blue Islands	2,650
Wellerains No. 1	2,726	Montaigne	2,686
How'd Majors No. 2	2,728	How'd Majors No. 1	2,681

TWO MEN TEAMS.

Ehlman-Weeks	1,240	Wood-Leigh	1,181
Flenner-Collier	1,236	A. and F. Lindgren	1,176
Feal-Meyer	1,219	H. Medwitzky - E. McCoy-Matthews	1,213
Schneider	1,171	Adland-Kuss	1,212
McChesney-G. Burke	1,211	E. Blouin-Koenig	1,196
hardt	1,162	Bliss-A. Kappes	1,189
Semones-Bruck	1,160	Thompson-Ables	1,187
Van Wagner-Tabler	1,157	J. Blouin-Brill	1,182
Zloterman-Huber	1,148		

INDIVIDUALS.

C. Langmayer	688	F. Bartholomew	617
J. Blouin	695	H. Ruther	614
Geroux	689	F. Blaul	614
F. Bliss	624	Y. Bieber	614
A. Lindgren	652	H. Strassheim	611
R. Stell	628	H. Ruth	611
E. Guston	626	G. Hilderbrandt	609
D. Woodbury	621	E. Stretch	609
C. Schmidt	618	R. Roife	608

TWO-MEN EVENT.

S. Geroux	190	175	154	
W. Richter	212	204	183	1,127
G. Mathiesen	174	215	209	
W. Schall	168	171	174	1,126
L. Brunnemann	177	202	171	
O. Voorheis	151	200	170	1,099
C. Brockmeyer	183	157	165	
W. Leverenz	170	160	166	1,056
C. Carlson	189	166	164	
S. Behnke	168	191	162	1,040
S. Grote	150	174	158	
P. Behrent	179	157	161	1,083
G. Rohloff	152	202	180	
C. Sherwin	164	200	158	1,023
H. Ehlers	154	200	153	
D. Davis	167	169	147	1,022
E. Kriegner	195	201	170	
J. Koss	168	147	170	1,017
O. Fenske	150	156	171	
H. Heine	195	190	181	1,006
E. Brockman	210	190	171	
C. Harris	196	165	161	993
C. Miller	166	181	150	
E. Leverenz	169	158	153	980
E. Brockman	179	170	170	
G. Havlick	177	170	173	980
A. Bronder	169	171	162	
A. Nelson	202	181	185	968
H. Becker	185	156	127	

INDIVIDUALS.

Steve Geroux	211	223	205	639
O. Voorheis	208	196	198	602
C. Richter	208	191	191	595
E. Brotsmar	167	180	210	560
G. Matiesen	185	179	191	550
J. Bicke	169	181	195	545
R. Zuegner	171	179	188	537
H. Koss	166	157	215	538
P. Behrent	177	164	196	537
C. Miller	166	187	185	538
P. Sikorak	177	191	157	531
G. Havlick	177	170	182	529
H. Becker	158	168	219	515
A. Bronder	157	164	178	519
G. Rohloff	199	161	136	496
G. Fenske	147	155	191	493
W. H. Heine	195	149	151	495
S. Grote	176	150	160	486
P. Fabisch	174	151	156	481
E. Brockman	143	169	169	481
A. Nelson	152	160	166	478
A. Gutgesell	160	135	157	452

FIVE MEN TEAMS.

C. Muellers	1	2	3	La Matildas	1	2	3
Bangert	196	179	156	Krydas	198	188	197
Nelson	192	179	168	Schmidt	160	182	208
Fr'emann	157	177	165	Hanson	180	182	167
Adland-Kuss	212	196	196	Howley	193	166	188
Peterson	201	201	169	Ornsberg	169	165	188
Totals	889	888	794	Totals	902	855	948
Grand total			2,571	Grand total			2,705

O'Donnells	1	2	3	Lee's R'yals	1	2	3
Leonard	205	168	195	Wallace	142	150	156
Hahn	168	187	181	Eriekson	150	175	140
Behn	159	159	152	Meyers	174	210	188
Thompson	153	180	146	Goldsmith	179	218	191
Jones	169	201	174	Degan	184	184	207
Totals	834	925	848	Totals	843	962	797
Grand total			2,607	Grand total			2,602

Mahoney Jr.	1	2	3	W. Rocks	1	2	3
Stahl	168	151	116	Koukalik	154	183	163
Goetz	153	180	168	Wonasek	141	164	150
Stoker	141	176	161	W. Jirik	151	138	159
Kloman	148	169	152	J. Jirik	109	133	168
Glassner	164	165	160	Schimek	138	154	164
Totals	770	850	757	Totals	723	772	874
Grand total			2,363	Grand total			2,319

Steve Geroux, the famous French-Canadian of 300 fame, rolled into the limelight in the city bowling tournament now running at the Glenwood alleys with a score of 689 in the individual branch of the competition, and landed in a temporary third place in the standing.

Paired with Richter in the doubles he landed high score of the day with 1,127, but will not count in the final distribution of prizes.

None of the other entries in the minor events ran to high scores, although Oak Voorhees drew a 602 series, which will not get inside of the prize list. The card yesterday showed many of the old time stars performing, but outside of Geroux and Voorhees none of the others shone. Leading scores:

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

OWEN MORAN.

[Being a bit from the heart of the gentleman farmer of St. Charles. It can be sung to the air of "Peggy Malone" or "Wapping Old Stairs," as the dialect may suggest.]

Here's to the fist of you,
Owen Moran.
Devil a bit of a taste of a can
Have they hung to you since you arrived in the states.
With the pick of our boys,
At the regular weights,
Faith! an' I think you're a tough little man,
Owen Moran.

Here's to the grit of you,
Owen Moran.
British born "Pug" on the Irish built plan;
The best that they've sent us in many a day,
For there's none of our best,
That have "put you away,"
And you've been up in front since the fightin' began,
Owen Moran.

Here's to the likes of you,
Owen Moran.
Not, as so many, "a flash in the pan";
You're a game little lad from the head to the heel,
You've drawn with Abe Attel,
You've beat Frankie Neil,
And there's none from abroad makes a better hit than—
Owen Moran.

Surely nobody, no matter how high in authority, will dare to molest the ancient reign of the Piper boys, heirs, present and presumptive, to the hamlet of Worth and all the lands lying adjacent thereto, and all the buildings, appurtenances, and town marshals thereto belonging. That is sacred ground. For a score of years it has been the private preserve of the rough toss sporting element of Chicago. It is hallowed by the memories of historic encounters between desperate men, fifty-six pound bulldogs, and gamesome chickens, all of which encounters the Piper boys have protected through the exercise of the right of eminent domain. The Piper farm was the only place to go when every other place in Cook county was sloughed [pronounced slewed in this instance]. The only ray of advanced sporting civilisation that has ever percolated into Worth was when Powers and O'Brien and the Wagners took hold of the old racetrack, upon which the founder of the family was wont to exercise his trotting horses, and made a modern racing plant of it. It has been lonesome out there since the wave hit that. It will be more lonesome still if the lords of the manor are denied the privilege of punctuating the Sabbath with an innocent finish fight and a few gory prelims.

We are told that the pending meeting of the American Turf association will be of unusual importance. It is even hinted that licenses will be granted to several trainers and jockeys who are expected to apply for them, and that the secretary will read the minutes of the last meeting.

There is nothing that any crusading newspaper knows about Ryan and his operations that could have been kept from the racing authorities.

Some dissatisfaction is being expressed with the action of the referee of the second Harden-Von Moltke go lately pulled on in Berlin. It will be remembered that Harden won at their first meeting with a knockout. In the recent contest, with a different referee, the decision went to Von Moltke on points, Harden's claim of foul being disallowed. Spectators at the ring side claim the referee was prejudiced, and that all bets should have been declared off. A third battle may be arranged between the man to settle the question of supremacy. Jeffries stands ready to referee the bout if the money is in sight.

Director Stagg left yesterday for a change of scene and climate. It cannot be called a vacation. He will project his astral body from Miami, Fla., to the campus and gymnasium of the Great Endowed and will not abate one jot of his responsibility for the well being of his cherished athletes. If he sticks to the schedule of absent treatment he has laid out for himself he hardly will have time to look at the ocean.

Attorney W. H. Arthur, who was affectionately (or affectionately was) called Billy in the early days, is the chosen front of the City league, Mr. Arthur won fifty-three medals as an amateur athlete, and not one of them ever made its appearance in a Clark street window.

The fort commanded by Gen. Stoessel Callahan seems to be crumbling. Cheerful Charles Hickman, who has run the gamut of the majors, says he will be switched if he'll be switched to the minors. That's right, Charles. A pair of game like yours would look out of place in Toledo.

THANK YE FOR SPIERIN'.

There's ice upon the loch the day,
An' Sandy, wi' his curlin' stanes,
Has gang awa' to curl a bit,
An' scour rheumatics fra his banes.

"O! us a guard!" he gaily shouts,
An' lays the besom till the tee;
An' gin the draggie's passed aboot
He'll pause the while to tak' a wee.

The roarin' game is unco guid
When ice is keen an' hearts are licht;
The shuffle board's a brawly spiel,
But curlin', losh! is oor o' sicht.*

*Percolated Scotch.

"BIG THREE" IN MIDDLE WEST?

Director Stagg Hints at Athletic Union of Chicago, Minnesota, and Wisconsin if Michigan Secedes.

Chicago, Minnesota, and Wisconsin may form a "big three" in middle west athletics if Michigan withdraws from the conference body. Director Stagg of the University of Chicago strongly hinted at such a union of the west's leaders before leaving for Miami, Fla., yesterday, where he will spend the winter months in vacation.

"Much depends on what Michigan will do," said Mr. Stagg. "If it decides to remain outside the conference group, then a new arrangement between Chicago, Minnesota, and Wisconsin may be made. We may arrange our schedule in such a way to include both Minnesota and Wisconsin."

Work in all the branches of indoor sport began yesterday in Bartlett gymnasium. Twenty baseball candidates reported to Coach Baird, while forty men appeared in track clothes for the inspection of Coach Friend. The basketball and swimming squads were unusually large.

NEW RECORD AT LOS ANGELES.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 6.—Stanley Fay, held at 7 to 2 in the betting, broke the coast record for seven furlongs today at Santa Anita by winning the fourth race in 1:24 1-5. Orilene, the favorite, ran third, six lengths behind the winner. Summaries:

First race, ¾ mile—Pretension, 100 pounds [Musgrave], 3 to 1, won; Loupes, 100 [E. Dugan], 3 to 1, second; Blackmate, 106 [Grand], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:24 3-5. Giovanni Balerio, Confederate, Brazil, John Lyle, J. R. Laughrey, Monaco Maid, Cloistress, Cataline, Golden Wave, and the Arrowed ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—Copper Princess, 107 pounds [G. Burns], 9 to 1, won; Floss, 114 [E. Dugan], 1 to 3, second; Chitta, 107 [Boland], 18 to 1, third. Time, :84 2-5. Mattie Russel, Live Oak, Traffic, San Rose, Hampass, Semper Fidelis, Bold, Rel el and Dixero ran.

Third race, 1 mile—Chippewa, 95 pounds [McCarthy], 6 to 5, won; Progress, 102 [C. Rose], 8 to 1, second; Monday, 96 [G. Burns], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:38 4-5. El Casador, Harry Scott, Josie's Jewel, By Play, and Anona ran.

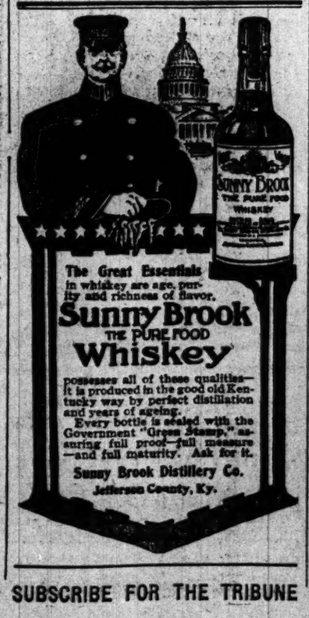
Fourth race, ¾ mile—Stanley Fay, 100 pounds [Musgrave], 7 to 2, won; Waterbury, 109 [G. Burns], 3 to 1, second; Orilene, 99 [Preston], 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:24 1-5. Stray, Fresne, and Harcourt ran.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles—Baros Esher, 111 pounds [Rose], 3 to 1, won; Duardi, 106 [Goldstein], 8 to 5, second; Marlingo, 110 [Radtke], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:53 4-5. Ethe, Philigoe, Warning, Woodman, and Tenrow ran.

Sixth race, 11-16 mile—Anoura, 100 pounds [Martin], 7 to 10, won; Orvell, 105 [Melntyre], 7 to 1, second; Albion H., 105 [Dugan], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 4-5. Catherine F., Margie D., Velma G., Patrolic, Virlando, Black Domino, Cheridah, Lonia, Gold Bar, Artie Rippy, Look, Lady Powell, and Coyly ran.

Detroit Y. M. C. A., 33; Oberlin, 17.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 6.—Detroit Y. M. C. A. beat Oberlin college at basketball tonight, 33 to 17.



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FATE OF PLUNGER RYAN IN DOUBT.

New Orleans Racing Officials Noncommittal as to Ruling on Bookmaker.

MAY GO TO CINCINNATI.

Opening Day of Crescent City Club's Meeting Proves Dismal Affair.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—An announcement was made today that John J. Ryan would leave tonight for Cincinnati. Naturally there was much curiosity as to whether Ryan leaves of his own accord or was asked to go.

Members of the two executive committees today declined to make any statement in the matter. Ryan himself announced he would leave. Ryan was at the track, but neither of his two books were operating. Despite the fact that those in position to give information were absolutely noncommittal, the general opinion still is that Ryan was asked to vacate. The judges were asked as to the disposition of the entries of Ryan's horses. Here, too, there was reticence, the only answer being that a decision would be made when one of the horses was entered.

Ryan's friends today said a suit against Ryan at Cincinnati is to be heard this week and that is the reason he is leaving, but that he will be back in about a week. The disposition on the part of those handling the case seems to be to have the whole matter quieted without any information being given to the public.

Dismal Opening Day.

The opening of the Crescent City Jockey club's meeting today was about as dismal an affair as one could think of in a racing way. A cold, driving rain fell all day, and it swept the big, open grand stand to such effect that spectators who left the betting ring were forced back to the last row of seats or to the wide promenade at the top of the stand. The track was deep with mud, but this had little effect on the frameup of the program, as scratches were no more numerous than is usual with a heavy card. The conditions did result in a big upset of form calculations, only two favorites winning. Horses getting to the finish first for the most part were from the ranks of the unexpected.

New Orleans Summaries.

First race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Banrida, 100 [Pounds [V. Powers], 4 to 1, won; George H. White, 101½ [Dwyer], 30 to 1, second; Dorothy Linn, 90 [Molesworth], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:56. Sea Marvel, Helen Holland, My Love, Honta, Bucking Boy, Auspicious, Sundart, Florida Glen, and Masson ran.

Second race, ¾ mile, selling—Debar, 113 pounds [Hoar], 5 to 1, won; Prince of Pless, 113 [A. Martin], 75 to 1, second; Creel, 114 [C. Koerner], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:20. Militadez, Abe Meyer, Marsh Redon, Martius, Don Hamilton, Lafayette, Daring, High Wind, and Monte Vario ran.

Third race, ⅝ mile, selling—Third Rail, 103 pounds [V. Powers], 8 to 1, won; Salmeaw, 104 [R. McDaniel], 9 to 5, second; Thomas Calhoun, 97 [Skirvin], 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:36 2-5. Sweetener, The Gavel, McGregor, Lisarine, Edina, Bayou Lark, Convenient, and Sultram ran.

Fourth race, ¾ mile, selling—Gold Quest, 111 pounds [J. Lee], 15 to 1, won; Miss Mazoom, 103 [Yorke], 10 to 1, second; Ethel Carr, 106 [V. Powers], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:35 3-5. Ketchemike, Moscow Belle, Ed. Kane, Georgia Girl, and Arrow Swift ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, handicap—Chief Hayes, 108 pounds [J. Lee], 10 to 5, won; Hagenbotham, 97 [J. Sumter], 5 to 1, second; Platoon, 90 [N. Kennedy], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:20 2-5. Jacobite, Coon, Gold Proof, Charlie Eastman, and Okenite ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Donna, 103 pounds [V. Powers], 11 to 5, won; Docile, 106 [Brussel], 25 to 1, second; Delphia, 104 [R. McDaniel], 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:47 1-5. Early Hours, Clara Huron, Nancy, Sister Polly, Glamor, Lady Alicia, and Pearl Hopkins ran.

Cole Wins Skating Race.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 6.—Arthur Cole of St. Paul won the one mile handicap in the northwestern skating tournament tonight, defeating Charles Fisher of Milwaukee and John Carlson of Minneapolis. Time, 2:56. Fisher won the three mile open race in 9:17. Cole was second.

Once Noted Boxer Dies in Hospital.

GEORGE DIXON

COPPIT WINS AT OAKLAND.

Scores Victory in Two Year Old Race—Two Favorites First to the Wire.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The weather was perfect for racing this afternoon, and despite an indifferent card there was a big crowd at the course. The track was holding. Emma G., in the second, and Fulleta, in the sixth, were the only favorites to score. Coppit, a bay filly, captured the 2 year old race, winning by fully half a dozen lengths from Seattle, a Missouri bred youngster. Coppit is by The Judge. Summaries:

First race, ¾ mile, selling—Big Store, 99 [Rice], 4 to 1, won; Sycamore, 106 [Lynch], 4 to 1, second; St. George Jr., 107 [Bore], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:17 3-5. Dick Wilson, Manila 8., Bantam, Dangerous Girl, Queen Alamo, Mrs. Matthews, Huachuca, and Bantazo ran.

Second race, Futurity course, selling—Emma G., 106 [Carroll], 8 to 5, won; Bravoure, 104 [Seaville], 7 to 1, second; Jack Payne, 104 [Davis], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Billy Myer, Jockey Mounce, Last Go, Rene W., Princess A., and Wilmore ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Coppit, 105 [Sandy], 4 to 1, won; Seattle, 108 [Miller], 17 to 10, second; Mary Mac, 110 [Hayes], 7 to 1, third. Time, :87 1-5. Patois, Ornate, England, Michaels, and Collice ran.

Fourth race, 1¼ miles, selling—Grambol, 108 [McIntyre], 6 to 1, won; Funnyside, 104 [Gentry], 10 to 1, second; Capt. Hale, 106 [Boral], 8 to 5, third. Time, 2:02 3-5. Isabelita, Macbeth, and Sea Air ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Excitement, 108 [Moreland], 7 to 1, won; Belle of Iroquois, 100 [Kelly], 7 to 2, second; Paladini, 100 [Hayes], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:17¾. Lorose, Belcman, Herodittus, Lampadrome, Koenigin Luise, and May Pink ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Falletta, 107 [Heatherington], 3 to 2, won; Bamposal, 107 [Sandy], 11 to 5, second; Treasure Seeker, 108 [Rice], 12 to 5, third. Time, 1:53. St. Moden and Graphite ran.

Cutler Leads Hoppe in Cue Match.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 6.—Albert Cutler of Boston defeated Willie Hoppe tonight in the first game of the 2,000 point 18-1 billiard match by a score of 400 to 240. The match will continue tomorrow and Wednesday.

Notes of the Billiard Halls.

At Sutton's—Malloy defeated Falkner, 40 to 33.

At the Drexel—Kindich [70] defeated Lostetter [70]. 70 to 36, at pool.

At Mussey's—Allen [50] defeated Bennett [40], 50 to 38, in the class B three cushion tourney.

TIME IS CALLED ON GEORGE DIXON

Greatest Negro Fighter of His Day Dies in New York Hospital.

FALLS PREY TO ALCOHOL.

Winner of Several Hundred Fistic Encounters, Penniless and Friendless.

New York, Jan. 6.—The greatest fighter of his time and the winner of several hundred fistic encounters, George Dixon, the negro pugilist, familiarly called "Little Chocolate," died today at Bellevue hospital, the victim of a long fight with drink. Idolized in his prime by thousands as a pugilistic hero, George Dixon passed away practically penniless and without friends. Dixon was 31 years old, and for many years held the title of featherweight champion.

George Dixon fought several hundred ring battles, his first fight being in 1886, when he whipped a boy named Johnson in Halifax, N. S. From that time until Terry McGovern knocked him out in 1900 and broke his heart, no man of his weight ever whipped him. He won the featherweight title in 1891, by whipping the champion, Cal McCarthy. Dixon was a perfect fighting machine, so far as attack and defense was concerned, and his peculiar ability to strike a blow from any position made him a formidable opponent. Dixon won thousands of dollars in the prize ring, which he spent with convivial companions.

A wasted, wan figure was brought to Bellevue hospital two days ago and ticketed in the alcoholic ward as George Dixon. To the doctor he said that he had "fought his last fight with John Barleycorn, and had been beaten." He told the physicians that he had no friends except John L. Sullivan. His condition grew rapidly worse, and late today the former champion died.

Through his honesty in the ring and out of it, Dixon gained the esteem of all classes. Never in any of his many battles had there been even a hint of double dealing, and he disarmed the bitterest prejudice wherever he appeared. Through his popularity he did much to uplift his race.

The noted fighter appeared three times in Chicago rings and he was a great favorite with the local fight fans. On July 14, 1900, he fought and beat Eddie Santry in six rounds and the next year in June he was matched with Benny Yanger and Terry McGovern. Terry was at his best then, while Dixon was on the down grade. A grand display of all known ring tactics was not enough to save "Little Chocolate" from defeat at the hands of the "Terrible Terry," and the decision was awarded against him at the end of the sixth round. After this battle Dixon tried the saloon business here, but the venture was not a successful one and he drifted back east.

Burns and Roche Sign.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Articles for the Burns-Roche fight were signed today. Tommy Burns, who recently defeated "Gunner" Jim Moir, became the National Sporting club, is to fight Jem Roche, the Irish champion, twenty rounds for $2,000 a side and a purse of $7,500, offered by a Dublin syndicate. The fight will take place in Dublin on March 17, unless Burns is defeated on Feb. 10 by Jack Palmer of Newcastle.

Batling Nelson Starts Training.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Battling Nelson had started training for his fight with Jack Clifford on Monday night.

Muscatine Beats Chicago Meters.

Muscatine, Ia., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—After meeting the east the Muscatine basketball club resumed home yesterday and this evening defeated the Chicago Meteors in the first game of the series by a score of 31 to 19.

Notes of the Bowlers.

Rolfe averaged 225½ against Rost in the Chicago Individual tournament last night, winning out of eight games.

The Brunswicks, with 1,002 1-3, set a new season's mark in the Chicago league, and took three games from the Halls. The Tostis got two from the Tropics.

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PULLMAN HEARING SOON.

Allegations That Charges Are Excessive to Be Investigated.

The governments in the southern states this year will receive the cooperation of the railroads in the effort to build up the population in that section. Homeseekers' excursions for the first time will be run to those states lying east of the Mississippi and south of the Ohio river and, while reciprocal relations will be maintained with the roads serving the southwest and west, it is believed the southern states will receive a large measure of profit.

Heretofore the southeastern lines have refused to join with the western roads in running homeseekers' excursions. Their excuse was that the south was so sparsely settled that it would be unfair to that section to offer inducements to people to move west. The western roads then adopted the policy of selling prepaid orders from nearly all the transportation centers in the south. In this way through tickets were sold to prospective settlers residing in the southern states, who wished to see the new country in the west. It is said, moreover, the southeastern lines did not get any of the profit arising from the business.

Southern Roads Consent.

At a conference between representatives of the southeastern and western lines the former were induced to agree to a reciprocal arrangement whereby homeseekers' excursions should be run both to and from the south.

This also will be the first year that homeseekers' excursions will be run into Mexico. The National line of Mexico has made the arrangements with its connections at the Texas border, and it is probable that a campaign of advertising setting forth the advantages of the southern republic will be launched. The rates this year will be one and one-half the one way fare, plus $2 for the round trip.

The new circular, announcing the homeseekers' fares for 1908, is out. All the western and southeastern lines are listed, but the members of the Central Passenger association failed to concur in the rates, as they have done formerly.

Hearing on Pullman Rates.

Preparation is being made for the interstate commerce hearing here in the complaint made against the Pullman company by George S. Loftus. Mr. Loftus and his attorney, James Manahan of St. Paul, were in Chicago yesterday conferring with railroad men and laying their plans for the prosecution of the case. The charges made by Mr. Loftus are that the rates made by the Pullman company for sleeping car service are too high, and that the rate for upper berths should be less than for the lowers.

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Decrees.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Barnes—5412—Ostermeyer vs. Ostermeyer; dec. dismissing bill.—7930—Bohemian Workingmen's S. L. and H. assn. vs. Nejdr; dec. of sale.—8496—Bell vs. McCabe; dec. of sale.—8622—Bell vs. Davis; dec. of sale.—8778—Bell vs. Andrews; dec. of sale.

Judge Bell—262348—Bell vs. Kane et al.; dec. of sale.—262714—Bell vs. Du Bois et al.; dec. of sale.—262742—Bell vs. Mcolm; dec. of sale.—263607—Scheier vs. Campbell et al.; dec.—263791—Ley vs. Ley; dec. div.—261407—Schneible vs. Schneible; final dec.—233627—Whanski vs. Wojanski; dec.

Judge Kavanagh—8933—Wood vs. Wood; dec. div.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Carpenter—258604—Wisconsin Natl. bank of Milwaukee vs. Kenney et al.; dec. of sale.—27347—Hamilton vs. Carson et al.; dec.

Judge Gibbons—281344—Galloway vs. Galloway; dec. div.

Judge Walker—277750—Uhlir et al. vs. Sidlo et al.; dec. of sale.—281782—Exley vs. Cutting et al.; dec.—2823—Hall vs. Hall; dec. div.

Judgments.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge McSurely—264740—Marie A. McDonald vs. J. Machado; judgt. on findg. for $474.

Judge Dupuy—265724—S. Jasonegri vs. Finderson & Kropt Mfg. Co.; judgt. on findg. for $8500.—253703 Susan O'Connor vs. Frank E. Shepard Co.; judgt. on findg. for $125.—247634—Reid-Murdoch Co. vs. Amy Elmer; judgt. on findg. for $160 and costs.

Judge Smith—260026—Illinois Brick Co. vs. George A. Toman; judgt. by dedt. for $1,722.72.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Pinckney—6648—Marshand vs. Handley et al.; judgt. on findg. for $3000.—Frank Young vs. C. U. T. Co.; judgt. on findg. for $912.—Louis Bashuski vs. C. U. T. Co.; judgt. on findg. for $300.

Judge Mack—261685—Rosalie I. Rich vs. Julia J. Haskins; judgt. on findg. for $1,886.41.—282677—Samuel Broitzsky vs. Hyman Danner; judgt. by dedt. for $250.

Judge Frost—241441—Klusmann vs. city of Chicago; judgt. on findg. for $30 and $11 costs.—Same vs. same; judgt. on findg. for $110 and $11 costs.

Court Calls for Today.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Smith—9:30 a. m., motions of course and motions. 10 a. m. trial call, 12506, 13761, 13764, 13768. On trial, 13792.

Judge Wright—9:30 a. m., trial call, 11512, 12064, 12371, 12374, 12376, 12430, 12434, 12435, 12441. On trial, 11517.

Judge McSwyen—10 a. m., trial call, 14204, 14908, 15072, 15051, 15058, 15057, 15100, 14113, 15181, 15182, 15185, 15186, 15188, 15370, 15372, 15373, 15375, 15378, 15379, 15380, 14691, 15048. First call of cases 384 to 483 inclusive on common law calendar.

Judge Barnes—9:30 a. m., chancery motions of course. Trial call, 8676, 7900, 7360, 1598, 4082, 8100.

Judge Abbott—9:30 a. m., trial call, 10680, 12137, 12560, 13249, 13250, 13332, 13342, 12982, 13062, 12879, 12700, 13343, 13495, 13493, 13363, 13140.

Judge McSurely—9:30 a. m., trial call, 11763, 13128, 12970, 1442, 13304, 15208, 15252, 12062, 11278, 15277, 13337, 13339, 15388, 13362, 15391, 15392, 13652, 15445, 15462, 15494, 15495, 15490.

Judge Kavanagh—9:30 a. m., trial call, 11590, 11797, 11771, 10211, 8809, 10711, 11506, 11940, 11206, 12307. On trial, 11181.

Judge Dupuy—9:30 a. m., trial call, 12834, 13106, 11827, 12943, 13103. 2 p. m., 12760, 13211, 13238, 13292. On trial, 12410.

Judge Chytraus—10 a. m., on trial, 258568.

Judge Ball—9:30 a. m., chancery motions of course and contested motions.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Walker—10 a. m., chancery motions of course. Trial call, 16488, 20077, 18896, 19560, 19276, 18460, 20278. On hearing, 17268.

Judge Tuthill—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Call of 100 cases on calendar, 6, justice court cases.

Judge Honoré—10 a. m., motions of course. Trial call, 6594, 6696, 6753, 5308, 6248, 6288, 6739, 6771, 6776, 6785, 6796, 6834, 6340, 6360, 6869, 881, 6361, 6917, 6823, 6829, 6935, 6906, 6975, 6982, 6949, 7027, 7036, 7044, 7055, 7065, 7071, 7074, 7086, 7108, 7118, 7138, 7147, 7153, 7161. On trial, 3717, 2748, 40664, 2350, 1846, 1571, 2828, 4006, 2600, 876, 274, 502, 3853, 3860. On trial.

Judge Akers—10 a. m.—Trial call, 2306, 3323, 3524, 3538, 3561, 3582, 3594, 3422, 3426, 3432, 3461, 3480, 3495, 3522, 3551, 3574, 3614, 3659, 3765, 3813, 3834, 3890, 3932, 3960, 4137, 4247, 4250, 4290, 4350, 4332, 4368½, 4441.

Judge Mack—10 a. m.—Law motions of course, 8528, 6019, 6161, 6176, 6002, 6214.

Judge Carpenter—10 a. m.—Chancery motions of course. On hearing, 22143. Trial call, 7629, 8227.

Judge Gibbons—9:30 a. m.—Chancery motions of course. 9:45 a. m.—Trial call, 5170, 5192, 5423, 5466, 5631, 5666, 5678, 5707, 5747, 5880, 5446, 5527, 5579, 6005, 6011, 5496.

Judge Clifford—10 a. m., motions of course; trial call, 6345, 6322, 6851, 6877, 6979, 7041, 6724, 6134, 6462, 6861, 7051, 7063, 7039, 7075, 7084, 7105, 7117, 7127, 7136, 7144, 7151, 7139, 7172, 7190, 7186, 7193, 7205, 7215, 7225, 7257, 7254, 7265, 7270, 7277, 7289, 7299, 7306, 7314, 7324, 7323, 7340, 7348, 7353, 7368, 7371, 7377, 7388, 7407, 7412, 7418, 7423, 7438, 7444, 7467, 7473.

Judge Frost—10 a. m., trial call, 2875, 2773, 2965, 2857, 2999, 3002, 3007, 3019, 3021, 3039, 3040, 3043, 3053, 3062, 3072, 3075, 3083, 3094, 3097, 3101, 3116, 3153, 3143, 3174, 3175, 3204.

Judge Pinckney—9:30 a. m., law motions of course, trial call, 6295, 1595, 6335, 6363, 6377, 6392, 6422, 6442, 6449, 6453, 6461½, 6467, 6137, 6149, 6235, 229447, 6035, 6140, 6246, 6279, 6286.

Judge Ames—10 a. m., trial call, 6828, 6830, 6834, 7167, 7223.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge Windes—Trial call, 2266, 2367, 2368.

Judge Kersten—Trial call, 2506, 2234.

Judges Brentano and Chetlain—Call not extended.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Rinaker—10 a. m., motions, set cases. Barrett vs. Lantry, estate of Jos. Lichthall; 2 p. m. Evans vs. Krueger and Madison vs. Lyons.

Judge Hinebaugh—10 a. m., law trial call, 29720, 24644, 24426, 24428, 24467, 24502, 24517, 24519, 24522, 24832, 24561, 24750.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—10 a. m., in the estates of M. D. Ball, Jr. 10:30 a. m., in the estates of Lizzie J. Ball, H. Johnson, Minnie Pfernbring, Theodore Lawrence, Joseph Ronga; 2:15 p. m., in the estate of Christian N. Wagner, Lawrence Dobson, Mary Badman.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Kohlsaat—10 a. m., 26276, 27535, 28534.

Judge Bethea—10 a. m., 28758, 28760, 28761, 28763.

Judge Landis—10:15 a. m., 28385.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Judges Kohlsaat and Bethea—10 a. m., motions.

Judge Landis—10 a. m., on trial, 9751, 9752, 9754, 9755.

Judge Anderson—10 a. m., on trial, 3769.

FEDERAL CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS.

Ten a. m., 1341, 1354, 1377, 1393, 2400, 1404, 1405, 1410, 1419, 1420, 1421, 1439.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Harry Koutickey, retail grocer; liabilities, $532; assets, $250.

Nellie Scanlon Rogers, dressmaker; liabilities, $1,830; assets, $370.

Louis Goldmap, merchant; liabilities, $1,995; assets, $690.

Max Folkis, batmaker; liabilities, $6,697; assets, $130.

Petition of Stone Bros., Romadka Bros. and Abel & Bach to have Schuilman Bros. declared bankrupt; liabilities, $1,287; assets not given.

George A. Camp, jeweler; liabilities, $3,174; assets, $640.

Mahlon Updike, builder; liabilities, $30,867; assets, $367.

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Proceedings in the United States Supreme court today were:

40—The Wabash railroad company, plaintiff in error, vs. the Adelbert College of the Western Reserve university et al.; in error to the Supreme court of the state of Ohio; judgment reversed with costs and cause remanded for further proceedings not inconsistent with the opinion of this court; opinion by Justice Moody; dissenting, Justice Harlan and Justice Peckham.

95—Francis Winslow et al., trustees, et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. the Baltimore and Ohio railway company; in error to the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia; judgment affirmed with costs; opinion by Justice Moody.

94—Aaron Bluthenthal et al., etc., plaintiffs in error, vs. Angus O. Jones, administrator, etc.; in error to the Supreme court of the state of Florida; judgment affirmed with costs; opinion by Justice Moody.

93—The people of the state of New York ex rel. Edward and John Burke, limited, plaintiff in error, vs. James L. Wells et al., commissioners, etc.; in error to the Supreme court of the state of New York; judgment affirmed with costs; opinion by Justice Day.

92—Yosemite Gold Mining and Milling company, plaintiff in error, vs. E. L. Emerson et al.; in error to the Supreme court of the state of California; judgment affirmed with costs; opinion by Justice Day.

90—The United States, appellant, vs. William G. Miller; appeal from the Court of Claims; judgment modified and affirmed; opinion by Justice Day.

76—John Tow, appellant, vs. the United States; appeal from the District court of the United States for the northern district of California; order reversed and cause remanded with a direction to issue the writ of habeas corpus; opinion by Justice Holmes.

223, 224, and 225—Frank de L. Carrington, plaintiff in error, vs. the United States; in error to the Supreme court of the Philippine islands; judgments reversed and causes remanded with directions to reverse the judgments of the court of first instance and remand the cases to that court with a direction to dismiss the complaints; opinion by Justice Holmes.

60—The Anheuser-Busch Brewing association, appellant, vs. the United States; appeal from the Court of Claims; judgment affirmed; opinion by Justice McKenna.

125—Henry Winters et al., appellants, vs. the United States; appeal from the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the ninth circuit; decree affirmed and cause remanded to the Circuit court of the United States for the district of Montana; opinion by Justice McKenna; dissenting, Justice Brewer.

96—John Newton Williamson, plaintiff in error, vs. the United States; in error to the Circuit court of the United States for the district of Oregon; judgment reversed as to defendant Williamson and cause remanded with direction to set aside the verdict of the jury and award a new trial as to the defendant Williamson; opinion by Justice White; dissenting, Justice Harlan.

216—Damselle Howard, administratrix, etc., plaintiff in error, vs. the Illinois Central Railroad company et al.; in error to the Circuit court of the United States for the western district of Tennessee; judgment affirmed; opinion by Justice White; specially concurring, Justice Peckham, Chief Justice Fuller, and Justice Brewer; dissenting, Justice Moody. Justice Harlan, Justice McKenna, and Justice Holmes.

264—Consolidated Rendering company, plaintiff in error, vs. the state of Vermont, by Clarke C. Fitts, attorney general; in error to the Supreme court of the state of Vermont; judgment affirmed with costs; opinion by Justice Peckham.

61—Amelia M. Holt, appellant, vs. Samuel Murphy, et al.; appeal from the Supreme court of the territory of Oklahoma; decree affirmed with costs and cause remanded to the Supreme court of the state of Oklahoma; opinion by Justice Brewer.

91—D. Sullivan, plaintiff in error, vs. the state of Texas; in error to the Court of Civil Appeals for the Third supreme judicial district of the state of Texas; judgment affirmed with costs; opinion by Justice Brewer.

The chief justice announced the following orders of the court:

The Rio Grande Dam and Irrigation company et al., appellants, vs. the United States; motion to docket and dismiss denied.

323—William Gordon Crawford, petitioner, vs. the United States; motion to advance granted and cause assigned for argument on the first Tuesday of the next term.

438—Thomas Battle, plaintiff in error, vs. the United States; motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis granted and case assigned for argument on Monday, Jan. 27, after the cases already set down for that day.

503—The United States, plaintiff in error, vs. John Bitty; motion to advance granted and cause assigned for argument on Monday, Jan. 27, after the cases already set down for that day.

535—Bradley W. Palmer et al., petitioners, vs. the state of Texas et al.; petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the fifth circuit granted.

542—Lawrence W. Sexton, receiver, etc., petitioner, vs. Armstrong Cork company; petition for writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Second circuit denied.

104—Dona Maria Francisca Orleans Braganza, countess of Buena Vista, plaintiff in error, vs. John R. Brooke, major general, U. S. A.; passed to be restored to the call under the provisions of section 9 rule 26, on motion of Solicitor General Hoyt for the defendant in error.

510—MacAndrews & Forbes company, plaintiff in error, vs. the United States, and

511—J. S. Young company, plaintiff in error, vs. the United States; motion to advance submitted by Solicitor General Hoyt for the defendant in error, in support of the motion and by John D. Lindsay for the plaintiffs in error in opposition thereto.

535—The United States, petitioner, vs. J. T. B. Hillhouse; petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the second circuit submitted by Solicitor General Hoyt for the petitioner with leave to counsel for respondent to file brief on or before Friday next.

524—Norfolk and Western railway company, petitioner, vs. Louella Mary administratrix, etc.; petition for writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the fourth circuit submitted by Theodore W. Reath and Joseph I. Doran for the petitioner and by Clement Manly for the respondent.

546—Sailors' Union of the Pacific et al., petitioners, vs. Hammond Lumber company; petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the ninth circuit submitted by Jackson H. Ralston for the petitioner with leave to S. S. Burdette to file brief for respondent on or before Friday next.

540—Metropolitan Life Insurance company, petitioner, vs. Camella B. Talbott, administratrix, etc.; petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fifth circuit submitted by John W. Yerkes in behalf of Maurice E. Looke for the petitioner and by M. L. Crawford for the respondent.

551—Owen Ahearn, petitioner, vs. The United States; petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the ninth circuit submitted by Frederick S. Tyler for the petitioner and by Solicitor General Hoyt for the respondent.

225—The American Surety company of New York, plaintiff in error, vs. the Akron Savings Bank company et al.; motions to dismiss or affirm submitted by John C. Gittings in support of motions and by Frederic D. McKenney in opposition thereto.

Original—Ex parte: In the matter of Catherine Schlemmer, petitioner; motion for leave to file petition for writ of mandamus submitted by Frederic D. McKenney for petitioner.

491—Great Northern railway company, petitioner, vs. the United States; leave granted to file brief herein as amicus curie on motion of Frederic D. McKenney in behalf of counsel.

12 and 388—Henry M. Earle, administrator etc., appellant, vs. P. Percy Myers et al., administrators, etc.; motion to amend decrees herein submitted by John C. Gettings and Henry E. Davis for the appellants with leave to P. Percy Myers for appellees to file reply brief within two days.

5—United Land association et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Lewis Abrahams et al.; motions to dismiss or affirm submitted by Charles H. Bates, W. B. Treadwell, Charles H. Lovell, and P. F. Dunne in support of motions, and by C. A. Kelzwin and J. J. Darlington in opposition thereto.

7—Pritz Durein, plaintiff in error, vs. the state of Kansas; and

9—Fred Ross et al., plaintiff in error, vs. the state of Kansas; and

8—Fred Simmons et al., plaintiff in error, vs. the state of Kansas; submitted by C. A. Magaw for the plaintiffs in error and by C. C. Coleman and Fred S. Jackson for the defendant in error.

99—Rafael Enriques, administrator, etc., plaintiff in error, vs. A. S. Watson & Co., limited; suggestion of diminution of the record and motions for writ of certiorari to pass and for leave to file affidavits of value submitted by Jackson H. Ralston for plaintiff in error.

13—Original—Ex parte: In the matter of Ephraim Simon, petitioner; argument commenced by Louis Marshall for the petitioner and continued by Harry H. Hall for the respondent.

Adjourned until tomorrow at 12 o'clock.

The day call for Tuesday, Jan. 7, will be as follows: 401, 356, 426, S original, 95, 97, 98, 99, 101 and 1021, and 6.

Fire Destroys Historic Bell.

Wiscasset, Me., Jan. 6.—A bell cast in Paul Revere's workshop was destroyed in a fire which destroyed the Congregational church here last night. The courthouse, built in 1824, was also destroyed.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

FOREIGN MAILS WILL CLOSE AT CHICAGO postoffice as follows:

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Egypt, Turkey, Greece, British India, Roumania, Belgium, Cape Colony and Lourenzo Marquez, 4:30 p. m.

For Cuba, 8 p. m.

For Jamaica, West Indies, 12 p. m.

For Manitoba, British Columbia, and Northwest Territory, 9 p. m.

For Austria, Denmark, France, Great Britain, Germany, Ireland, Scotland and Liverpool, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Russia, and Sweden, by S. S. Manitania, Friday, Jan. 10, 12 noon.

For Hawaii, Japan, China, and Corea, via San Francisco, by S. S. Nippon Maru, Friday, Jan. 10, 9 p. m.

Specially addressed correspondence for and via Japan and China, via Seattle, Wash., by S. S. Suveric, Saturday, Jan. 11, 9 p. m.

For Hawaii, via San Francisco, by S. S. Alameda, Tuesday, Jan. 14, 9 p. m.

For Samoan islands, New Zealand, New Caledonia, and Australia, via San Francisco, by S. S. Fereric, Tuesday, Jan. 14, 9 p. m.

For Japan, China, Corea, and Philippines, via Seattle and Victoria, B. C., by S. S. Empress of China, Thursday, Jan. 16, 9 p. m.

For Japan, China, and Corea, via Seattle, by S. S. Aki Maru, Friday, Jan. 17, 9 p. m.

For France and Italy, S. S. La Gascogne, Tuesday, Jan. 7, 12 p. m.

For Panama, canal zone, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, and Chile, 4:30 p. m.

D. A. CAMPBELL, Postmaster.

GET CORNER FOR 198 YEARS

Lessees File Document Giving Land at Wabash and Adams.

AVERAGE RENTAL IS $14,368

New Tenants Are Ralph C. Otis, Joseph E. Otis, and Walter H. Wilson.

The recording yesterday of the lease by S. Leonard Boyce to Ralph C. Otis, Joseph E. Otis, and Walter H. Wilson of the property at the southeast corner of Wabash avenue and Adams street, 80x50 feet, has made public the full terms of the lease. For the four story building and fixtures on the premises the lessees pay $30 000. The lease of the ground runs for 198 years from March 1, 1906, at an annual rental of $12,000 for the first five years, $13,000 for the succeeding five years, and $15,000 for the remainder of the term. The lessees pay all taxes.

The average annual rental is $14,368, which is 4 per cent on $359,200, or $4,490 a front foot and a little less than $90 a square foot. The assessors valued the property at $444,215.

The lease contains a clause restricting the sale of liquor on the premises to clubs, hotels, or restaurants. While it is planned ultimately to erect a new building, it is said that no definite plans in this direction have been decided on.

Flat Buildings Are Sold.

Mrs. Rose R. Hecht has sold to Estella Waters De Lue the flat property in Michigan avenue, 315 feet north of Fifty-third street, with 50x160 feet of ground, east front, for $35,000.

Francis P. Gleason has purchased from Ella L. Spencer the flat property in Prairie avenue, ninety-nine feet north of Fifty-first street, with 50x162 feet of ground, east front, for $33,000, subject to an incumbrance of $12,500.

William Stephan has sold to August C. Bauman the flat property at 6335-6337 Vincennes-av., with 50x122 feet of ground, for $20,000, subject to an incumbrance of $10,000 assumed.

John S. Holmes has sold to May Elliott the flat property in Sheridan road, 217 feet north of Edgecomb place, 25½x143 feet, west front, for $20,000, subject to an incumbrance of $8,000.

Bertha Snydacker has sold to Laura Hilson of New York City properties in Cottage Grove avenue, 200 feet south of Sixty-seventh street, 25x121 feet, and 33x264 feet, east front, 165 feet north of Forty-ninth street, 25x130 feet in Indiana avenue, 225 feet north of Thirteenth street, and two other parcels in Niles and Thornton townships for a nominal consideration.

More Archer Avenue Deals.

Increased activity in the recording of deeds in the Archer avenue district is being shown. Eight were filed for record during the day. The Chicago Title and Trust company took title as usual. The properties comprised three parcels in Purple street, three in Twenty-first place, one in Twenty-first street, and one in Wentworth avenue.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Clark-st., 143 n of Lunt-av., w f, 25x175. Nov. 7, 1907 [David G. Alsop to Merrick B. Dean]..... $ 2,500

Belmont-av., s e cor State-st., n f, 80x125. Jan. 3 [May Elliott to John S. Holmes]. 10,500

Halsted-st., 295 n of Wrightwood-av., w f, 25x148. Jan. 4 [John Berger to Jos. and Angela Frantzen]..... 4,100

Lincoln-av., 73 n w of Sunnyside, e f, 25x125. Jan. 2 [Gustav P. Hugo to Louis Schreiber]..... 3,000

Lincoln-av., 95 n w of Sunnyside, w f, 25x125. Dec. 28, 1907 [F. A. Frittse Jr. to Thos. Olive]..... 1,250

Lincoln-av., 95 s of Belle Plaine, e f, 50x120. Jan. 4 [Fred W. Dobe to Lars E. Young]. 6,000

Orchard-st., 25 s of Sherman-pl., e f, 25x165. Dec. 12, 1907 [Bridget D. McNulty to Maximilian Seeling]..... 3,000

Roscoe-st., 106 e of Herndon, n f, 25x130½. Dec. 21, 1907 [I. J. Brugemann to Louise C. Sallwasser]..... 2,275

Sheridan-rd., 217 n of Edgecomb-pl., w f, 20¾x143, incumb. $8,000. Jan. 4 [John S. Holmes to May Elliott]..... 20,000

Western-av., 199 s of Berteau, w f, 25x124, incumb. $1,300. Dec. 2, 1907 [E. Rudolph to Elizabeth Fabricius]..... 2,781

JEFFERSON.

Armitage-av., 24 w of Ballou-st., n f, 25x150, and o. p. Dec. 26, 1907 [Emil Schultz to Max Schultz]..... 5,500

Catalpa-av., 210 e of N. 50th-ct., s f, 100x150. June 3, 1907 [Wm. C. Haselton to G. J. Griesenauer]..... 1,000

41st-av., 100 s of Sunnyside-av., w f, 37½x125. Dec. 30, 1907 [P. I. Davis to Anna H. Kessnich]..... 1,850

42d-av., 100 s of Gurley-st., e f, 50x171. Dec. 16, 1907 [G. W. Hart to John C. Johnson]..... 1,050

Springfield-av., 73 s of Castello, e f, 24x125. Nov. 4, 1907 [H. Schaefer to Tillie Riess]. 2,500

NORTH TOWN.

Ashland-av., 168 s of Wabansia, w f, 30x120. Dec. 10, 1907 [Chas. Lappen to Morris Lappen]..... 3,000

Beethoven-pl., 164 w of Sedgwick-st., s f, 25x99. Jan. 3 [John H. Sullivan to Bridget Burke]..... 3,300

Front-st., 25 w of Sangamon, e f, 25x100. Dec. 30, 1907 [Wesley W. Baird to Northern Trust company, trustee]..... 6,000

Hudson-av., 175 n of Blackhawk-st., e f, 25x125½. Dec. 27, 1907 [J. Weber et al. by M. In C., to Margaretha Phillips et al.]... 2,075

Ellis-av., 3800, 3802, and 3804 72x162, and buildings [incumb. $15,000. Dec. 24, 1907 [Morris R. Pourbier and wife Emily Whittingham Poucher, of New York City to Overton H. Gentry Jr. of Independence, Mo.]..... 84,000

SOUTH TOWN.

25th-st., 200 e of Princeton-av., s f, 25x125. Oct. 31, 1907 [Gustaf R. Peterson to Jeanne Van Valkenburg]..... 2,600

HYDE PARK.

Michigan-av., 315 n of 53d-st., e f, 50x160. Dec. 30, 1907 [Rose R. Hecht to Estella Waters De Lee]..... 35,000

Michigan-av., 54 n of 117th-st., e f, 25x125. Jan. 2 [C. A. Sawyer to Mary B. Wallace]..... 1,000

Michigan-av., s e cor 123d-st., w f, 107x190. Dec. 26, 1907 [I. C. Gardner et al. to Herman C. Gardner]..... 2,100

Prairie-av., 99 n of 51st-st., e f, 50x162. Incumb. $12,500. Dec. 15, 1907 [Ella L. Spencer to Francis P. Gleason]..... 33,000

Vincennes-av., 6335-37, 50x122, and double 3 story apartment building, incumb. $10,000, assumed. Jan. 3 [William Stephan to August C. Baumann]..... 20,000

Superior-av., 97 s of 53d-st., e f, 25x124, incumb. $1,800. Jan. 3 [M. Gal. to Mateusz Adamczyk]..... 2,750

Superior-av., 200 n of 57th-st., w f, 25x124. Dec. —, 1907 [A. Lasrers to Charles Moses]..... 3,100

Superior-av., 255 s of 90th-st., e f, 25x140. Dec. 7, 1907 [T. H. Collins et al., to Wm. Boughey]..... 1,800

Stony Island-av., 141 s of 83d-st., e f, 50x125. Jan. 3 [Albert A. De Creet to Simon and Emma Coogan]..... 4,000

LAKE.

Aberdeen-st., 48 s of 85th, e f, 50x124.7. Oct. 10, 1907 [F. Somers to Marie Kramer]. 500

Lincoln-st., 136 n of 47th, e f, 25x124. Dec. 20, 1907 [A. Kubin to Joseph Kubin]... 2,000

Paulina-st., 158 n of 46th, w f, 24x125. Dec. 21, 1907 [J. Merliunas to Joseph J. Bilius]..... 1,615

Sangamon-st., 61 n of 58th, w f, 30x124. Dec. 19, 1907 [Henry A. Gardner to John McShane and wife]..... 1,500

70th-pl., 198 s of Normal-av., s f, 25x115. Jan. 2 [D. Holtman to Minnie C. Wranckhaus]..... 1,850

CALUMET.

Morgan-st., 200 s of 88th, w f, 100x125. Dec. 30, 1907 [Lizzie Kalina to Richard A. and Frances C. Hobbe]..... 2,500

WEST TOWN.

799 Avers-av., 24x124. Jan. 3 [P. Johnson to Jennie C. Johnson]..... 1,600

Avers-av., 57 n of 13th-st., e f, 37½x125. Jan. 3 [James F. Opelka to Carl Luebke and wife]..... 1,800

Blue Island-av., 336 n s of 19th-st., s e f, 26x120, incumb. $2,500 assumed [Frank Vyba to John and Frances Vyba]..... 14,000

Blue Island-av., 80 s w of 11th-st., s e f, 24x100, incumb. $3,000. Dec. 16, 1907 [Harrie Miller to Sofre L. Alexander]... 7,500

Chicago-av., 240 w of Robey-st., s f, 24x123, incumb. $1,600. Dec. 24, 1907 [F. J. Blum to Anna Cohn]..... 2,600

Congress-st., 30 w of Washtenaw-av., s f, 25x100. Jan. 2 [Maria Pfeiffer to James Hennebery and Mary Ellen Morris]..... 2,900

Division-st., 275 e of Washtenaw-av., s f, 25x122. Jan. 2 [John P. W. Bluhm to Katharine Meyer]..... 1,750

18th-st., s e cor Washtenaw-av., n f, 50x125. Jan. 2 [Vaclav Putrovsky to John Hronek]..... 13,200

Francisco-av., 126 s of Bloomingdale, e f, 25x115. Jan. 4 [Wm. K. Rapp to Charles A. Hallman]..... 1,300

Gurley-st., 140 w of Blue Island-av., s f, 24x80. Nov. 13, 1907 [Wm. H. Winklar to Annie Fritz]..... 5,000

Hirsch-st., 96 e of Irving-av., s f, 21x127½. Jan. 2 [Mary A. Henrich to Sam and Sarah Mark]..... 2,200

Jackson-st., 100 w of S. 42d-av., s f, 22x124.8. Dec. 10, 1907 [Harvey J. Webner to Niles Peter Olsen and wife]..... 5,000

Madison-st., 100 w of S. 42d-av., n f, 23x121½. Jan. 2 [J. D. Lewis to Wm. Peskel]. 1,200

Norton-st., 150 s of Gurley, w f, 20x75. Jan. 3 [S. Letinis to Giuseppa Caruso]... 2,800

Park-av., 25 w of Talman, s f, 25x91. Jan. 2 [T. W. Eustis to Albert Friedley]..... 2,500

St. Louis-av., n e cor 13th-st., e f, 24x135. Nov. 18, 1907 [Carmon Theological seminary to Thomas Weber]..... 4,000

Sholto-st., 100 n of Gurley, e f, 24x94. Dec. 16, 1907 [estate of J. Rosenberg to Donato Mupo]..... 2,800

Sloan-st., 425 e of Noble, n f, 25x125, incumb. $1,400. Dec. 30, 1907 [J. Burger to Mary Burger]..... 2,500

21st-st., 60 w of S. 41st-av., s f, 30x75. Dec. 28, 1907 [John W. Jedlan to Johanna Lloyd]..... 4,000

23d-st., 490 s of St. Louis-av., n f, 24x89. Jan. 3 [Fr. Jan Stunkel to Anton and Teresia Hofman]..... 2,150

Building Permits.

3424 W. 61st-pl., 2 story frame flat, S. G. E. Stenmark ..... $ 1,650

918 Diversey-blvd., 2 story brick flat, John Theis 3,500

72 81st-st., 2 story brick flat, John McClinlock 5,000

56 Edmunds-st., 1½ story frame cottage, Paul Herrick 1,200

1774 W. Dakin-st., 1½ story frame cottage, J. E. Petterson 1,000

6932 Prairie-av., 1½ story brick cottage, R. J. Busch 3,000

6911 Kimbark-av., 2 story brick flat, J. Christiansen 4,500

Between 86th and 87th-sts., on Mackinaw-av., 1 story brick engine house, Illinois Steel company 20,000

6933-35-39 Prairie-av., 3 1½ story brick cottages, R. J. Busch 9,000

4935 Marshfield-av., 1½ story frame cottage, Emil Wetzig 1,200

975 to 989 50th-st., 3 story brick apartment building, S. T. Cooper 65,000

2601 117th-pl., 1½ story frame cottage, J. P. Kunier 1,000

8510 Abedeen-st., 2 story brick flat, Charles Roth 3,000

2120-26 20th-st., 2 1 story brick cottages, John H. Baker 4,600

2070 W. 20th-st., 1 story brick cottage, John H. Baker 2,300

BOARD OF TRADE RE-ELECTS HIRAM SAGER PRESIDENT.

He Goes In Without Opposition, Only Contest Being for Directors, and One "Opposition" Is Victorious.

Hiram N. Sager was unanimously re-elected yesterday president of the board of trade, to serve during 1908. A few weeks ago Mr. Sager, whose administration has been marked by a restoration of harmony among the members and by a general broadening out of the exchange's business, expressed unwillingness to serve another year, but general pressure resulted in his accepting a renomination. When he agreed to run again all other names suggested were withdrawn.

James Bradley of the Nye-Jenks Grain company was unanimously chosen second vice president, John A. Bunnell, by virtue of a board rule, advancing to the first vice presidency, which has been held by James C. Rogers.

The only contest was in the election of directors to serve three years. Ten candidates were named for the five places. The returns showed the election of Edward Andrew, Allen M. Clement, Ben B. Bryan, Harry Boore, and Samuel P. Arnot. Mr. Arnot was the only member of the "opposition" ticket to be elected. Those defeated were Frank Marshall of the "regular" ticket, John J. Keller, Frank G. Barnard, Samuel H. Greeley, and Gardiner B. Van Ness.

John C. Wood, George A. Wegener, Charles P. Randall, Frank G. Ely, and Richard C. Russell were elected to serve two years on the committee of appeals. James C. Murray being chosen to serve a year, filling the vacancy caused by the retirement of James R. Dalton. Those selected to serve for two years on the committee of arbitration are Michael P. Kelly, Horace G. Newhall, Robert W. Carder, Henry M. Paynter, and Henry A. Rumsey.

The total number of votes cast was 849.

Young Woman Fatally Burned.

Viroqua, Wis., Jan. 6.—Miss Helen Munson, aged 22, a student of the University of Wisconsin and a daughter of Col. O. G. Munson, private secretary to Gov. Davidson, was fatally burned while starting a fire in the furnace in her father's home here yesterday. Mrs. Munson was painfully burned while trying to extinguish the flames.

IN WORLD'S PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Wheat—Receipts, 110,000 bu; exports, 272,705 bu. Spot easy. No. 2 red, $1.07½ elevator and $1.08¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.24½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.15¾ f. o. b. afloat; May, $1.13⅝@1.14⅛, closed $1.12⅝; July, $1.06⅜@1.07⅛, closed $1.06⅝.

Corn—Receipts, 34,400 bu; exports, 45,241 bu; sales, 25,000 bu. Spot firm. No. 2, 74c, nominal, elevator, and 68¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 white, 69¾c, and No. 2 yellow, nominal, f. o. b. afloat. Options closed ⅝c net higher; May, 69⅛@70¼c, closed 70¼c; July closed 69c.

Oats—Receipts, 100,500 bu; exports, 400 bu. Spot easy. Mixed oats, 26@32 lbs, 54c; natural white, 26@32 lbs, 55@57c; clipped white, 32@40 lbs, 56@62½c.

Cottonseed Oil—Steady. Prime crude, 28½@29c; do yellow, 33½c.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3.42c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.92c; molasses sugar, 3.67c. Refined steady.

Quotations on Coffee.

Coffee—Spot quiet; No. 7 Rio, 6 1-16c; No. 4 Santos, 8c. Mild coffee quiet. Cordova, 9½@13c. Futures opened steady and

BEARS IN WHEAT HAVE AN INNING.

Affected by Weak Cables, Prices Suffer First Setback of New Year.

MAIZE RELATIVELY FIRM.

Coarse Grain Holds Its Own Despite Expected Increase in Movement.

Bears in the wheat market yesterday scored their first 1908 victory. They held the reins from start to finish, increasing their advantage as the session progressed. The respite bell found prices within a shade of the day's bottom. The more important items in the news favored the market pessimists, although the bulls, apparently fatigued from past endeavors, seemed not to have lost any of their confidence. Final quotations represented net losses of 1¼c for May, 1c for July, and ⅝@⅞c for September.

Despite the sharp upturn here late in the Saturday session, all of the foreign marts, Antwerp excepted, worked lower. Liverpool finished ¼@⅝d weaker, Berlin ⅛c off, and Paris ¼c off to same fraction up. Budapest celebrated a church holiday. The relative weakness abroad was attributed largely to milder weather in Europe and an increase in Argentine offerings. There was comparatively little news touching on crop conditions in Russia.

Country Offerings Increasing.

Reports of more liberal offerings of wheat at country stations in the northwest and the southwest also had a depressing effect on the market. The day's receipts at Duluth and Minneapolis totaled 432 cars, compared to 601 the similar day last week and 578 the corresponding day in 1907. Total primary arrivals were 734,000 bu, against 1,042,000 bu a year ago. World's exports last week were 7,936,000 bu, compared to 9,312,000 bu a year ago. America shipping 6,176,000 bu, wheat and flour. The exports from Russia and the Danubian countries aggregated 872,000 bu, those of a year ago being 3,608,000 bu. Supplies on ocean passage showed a decrease of 144,000 bu, the total afloat now being 29,680,000 bu.

Visible Shows Big Increase.

The unexpectedly large increase in the visible supply also had a bad effect on pit sentiment. The statement showed a gain of 1,820,000 bu. The visible now is 48,481,000 bu, against 45,768,000 bu last year at this time. Minneapolis millers again were reported to be scouring the southwest for good wheat, offering stiff prices. Millers in the southwest were said to be bidding 3c over a shipping basis at country stations. Locally cash wheat displayed firmness early, but later eased off a little. The demand was light, coming almost entirely from local flour makers. Fair business was done Saturday and yesterday in Manitobas for export, and the foreign call for rye again was snappy, Germany being the leading buyer. Red winter wheat continued well out of line. Winnipeg reported a fair trade in the lower grade grain, with prices ruling strong. Receipts at Winnipeg continued to be disappointing, and men close to the situation are looking for a decrease in the movement to that market in the near future.

Hessian Fly in Kansas.

A message from a Kansas point had it that the fields of the Sunflower state were being overrun by the Hessian fly, and there was "fly" talk from sections farther southwest. These messages, however, had little effect on the market. Most of the advices on winter wheat conditions were favorable. The day's clearances of wheat and flour from the seaboard were large at 726,000 bu.

Corn Displays Sound Tone.

General speculative trade was light. Traders appeared to be more interested in the annual election than in the market. Electioneering largely took the place of bidding. The softer spots witnessed some reinstating of long lines recently unloaded, and some shorts took advantage of the dip to cover. It was detected by pit sleuths that some of the more pretentious longs were sellers, and the more confident shorts, believing that the market is high enough for the present at least, put considerable weight on prices.

In the long run corn gave a relatively better account of itself than either of the other leading grains. The finish showed practically unchanged from Saturday's last prices. Pit developments indicated a strong close on the part of important operators to build up their lines on the slightest recessions, with shorts eager to cover. The day's news, generally speaking, favored the pessimists. Weather in all directions was almost ideal, and the mass of advices indicated that the near future would witness an increase in the general movement from the country. There was a letup in the foreign call, and the domestic east did little at the sample tables. Liverpool wound up ¼d lower. Local receipts were 166 cars, of which only a car graded contract, a little less than expected. A year ago the receipts aggregated 534 cars. Total primary arrivals were 670,000 bu, compared to 1,135,000 bu the similar day in 1907. Seaboard clearances were 368,000 bu.

Exports Comparatively Light.

The week's world's exports totaled 2,004,000 bu, against 4,314,000 bu last year, America contributing 1,072,000 bu. Supplies on ocean passage increased 666,000 bu, the amount afloat being 9,628,000 bu. The visible supply statement showed an increase of 994,000 bu, the statement a year ago showing a gain of 1,204,000 bu. Bulls pointed to the action of the Swedish government in reducing the import duty about one-half. The general lightness of contract stocks in all directions and the continued cry of poor quality grain are being used as the leading items in the bulls' arguments. The optimists say that the movement from the country must assume enormous proportions before holdings will become burdensome. "The heavier the movement to Chicago," said one of the hopefuls, "the greater will be the shipments to the east. Feeders west of the Mississippi are getting very little corn on their handsome bids, and when they get through supplying their requirements the amount to reach the big centers will not be overwhelmingly large." Estimated local receipts for today were 304 cars.

Oats Dull and Easier.

As for weeks past, the oats market ruled quiet, trailing after the leaders the greater part of the session. Final prices showed losses of ⅛@¾c from the Saturday close. The business at the sample tables was fairly large for both local and shipping account, and prices displayed a sound undertone. Local receipts were 108 cars, of which 10 graded standard, compared to 283 cars a year ago. Primary arrivals aggregated 579,000 bu, against 766,000 bu last year. Clearances at the seaboard were less than 1,000 bu. The visible supply statement showed an increase of 864,000 bu, compared to a falling off of 156,000 bu a year ago. Estimated local arrivals for today were 244 cars.

Provision List Sharply Higher.

There was a pronounced broadening out of the provision trade, and, notwithstanding a heavy run of hogs here and at other western packing centers, prices strengthened to sharp advances. The finals showed gains of 27½@32½c for pork, 15@20c for lard, and 20@22½c for ribs. The feature of the trade was the big demand for outside investors. Principal selling was from the account of packers, although they did not press hard at any time. These sales, according to some of the pit observers, were hedges against the current liberal manufacture of products. Several of the leading provision houses believe that this market is due for a period of much activity, with conditions favoring the bulls. The western hog run was 116,000, against 90,300 a year ago, Chicago reporting 58,000, or 6,000 more than expected. The estimate for today was 32,000. Prices at the stockyards rallied from early easiness, benefiting the pit trade.

Rye Firm and Higher.

Rye was firm, with prices 1c to 2c higher. The visible increased 10,000 bu. Export sales at the seaboard were 144,000 bu and 20,000 bu were sold here. Receipts were 1 car. No. 2 free on board sold at 82c. No. 3 was quoted 75c to 80c, and No. 4 sold at 72c.

Barley prices were 2c higher, with a much improved tone. Receipts were 26 cars. Feed was quoted 70@75c; malting, 85c to $1.06; screenings, 40c to 67c.

Flaxseed was easier, with prices about ½c lower; No. 1 northwestern was quoted $1.21; No. 1 from the northwest, $1.19½; No. 1 southwestern $1.11. Receipts were 3 cars.

Timothy seed was steady. Contract seed was quoted $4.35 to $4.40; country lots, $3.50 to $4.40.

Clover seed was 25c higher, with a sharp demand. Contract seed was quoted $17.000; March, $17.25; and cash seed, $13.50 to $16.00.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Jan. 6.	Close Jan. 4.
May	1.07⅞	1.08	1.07	1.07-1⅛	1.06¼-⅜
July	99¾-⅞	1.00	99¼	99¼	1.00¼
Sept.	96¾-⅞	96⅝	96	96¼	96⅜ ¼

CORN.

May	60¾-⅞	61⅝	60¾-¾	61⅜-½	61⅜
July	59¾-⅞	60⅛	59½	60¾-¾	60⅛
Sept.	59½	60½	59¾	60	60

OATS.

May old	54⅝	54⅞	54½	54⅝-¾	55
M'y new	53¼	53⅝	53¼	53¾-58	58⅛
J'ly old	43⅝	43⅞	43⅝	43⅝	46⅜
J'y new	46¼	46¼	46¼	46¼	46⅜

MESS PORK.

Jan.			13.05	12.72½
May	13.77½	13.85	13.05	13.87½

LARD.

Jan.	7.87½	8.05	7.87½	8.05	7.90
May	8.07½	8.23½	8.07½	8.27½	8.10

SHORT RIBS.

Jan.	7.00	7.10	7.00	7.10	6.87½
May	7.22	7.35	7.22	7.47½	7.27½

Grain Inspection.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Lower grades.	Total.
Winter wheat	3	...	9	6	18
Spring wheat	...	...	1	3	4
Durum wheat	...	...	...	4	4
Corn	1	...	58	127	186
Oats	7	4	54	39	103
Rye	...	...	...	1	1
Barley	2	...	5	19	26
Totals	12	4	107	198	321

Inspected out from store: Wheat—No. 2 red, 8,633 bu; Oats—Standard, 43,340 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—Winter, 4 cars No. 2 hard, 29 cars No. 2 red; spring, 4 cars No. 1 northern. Corn—Five cars No. 2 yellow, 75 cars No. 3 yellow, 29 cars No. 3 white, 32 cars No. 3. Oats—Forty cars standard, 3 cars No. 2 white, 27 cars No. 3 white.

Primary Movement.

	Wheat—Receipts.	Wheat—Shipments.	Corn—Receipts.	Corn—Shipments.
Yesterday	734,000	195,000	670,000	395,000
Last week	991,000	225,000	760,000	469,000
Last year	1,022,000	243,000	1,135,000	365,000
1906	965,000	247,000	882,000	371,000

Oats—Receipts, 579,000 bu; shipments, 783,000 bu. Last year, 766,000 bu; shipments, 338,000 bu.

Daily Indemnities.

	Up—			Downs—	
Wheat—	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.08⅛	1.07⅛	1.08¼	1.06⅝	1.06⅛	1.06⅛
Corn—						
May	61⅞	61⅝	61⅞	61½	61	61¼
Oats—						
May	54⅞	54⅝	54⅞	54⅝	54½	54⅝

Weekly Indemnities.

	Ups.	Downs.
Wheat—	Good all this week.	
May	$1.11	$1.04
Corn—		
May	.63½	.59½
Oats—		
May	.56½	.53

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Steady. Winter wheat patents, jute, $4.60@4.70; straight, jute, $4.40@4.50; clear, jute, $3.60@3.80; spring wheat flour, favorite brands, $5.40; Minneapolis hard patents, jute, $5.40@5.50; Minneapolis hard, straight, spring [export bags], $5.10@5.25; clear [export bags], $4.00@4.35; second clear [export bags], $3.10@3.20; rye [export bags], $3.90@4.00.

WINTER WHEAT — Steady. Sales in store: wheat, No. 2 red, 35.000 bu on p. t. Free on board, switched and delivered: No. 4 red, 95c; No. 4 hard, 85c; No. 3 hard, $1.03; No. 2 hard, $1.05. Illinois proportional: No grade red, 98c; No. 4 red, 95@98c; No. 3 red, $1.01.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady. Sales free on board: No. 4, $1.03@1.06; No. 3, $1.06@1.08; No. 2, $1.06.

CORN—Steady to ½c lower. Sales in store: Mixed lots, 100,000 bu on p. t. On track and free on board: No grade, 60@62¼c; No. 4, 58½@54½c; No. 4 yellow, 55@56c; No. 3, 56½@58c; No. 3 yellow, 57½@58c; No. 2, 59@60½c; No. 4 white, 54c; No. 3 white, 56½@57c; cars, 53c. Illinois proportional: No grade, 41@53c; No. 4, 53½@54½c; No. 4 yellow, 53@57c; No. 3, 56½@57c; No. 3 yellow, 57½@58c; No. 2, 60c; No. 4 white, 54@54½c; No. 3 white, 56½@57c.

OATS—Unchanged to ½c higher. Sales in store: White clipped, 100,000 bu on p. t. On track and free on board: No grade, 44@46c; No. 4, 47½@48c; No. 4 white, 47@49½c; No. 3, 47½@48½c; No. 3 white, 49¾@51¾c; standard, 52c. Illinois proportional: No grade, 44c; No. 4, 46@48½c; No. 4 white, 44@51¼c; No. 3, 48@49c; No. 3 white, 50@51¾c.

RYE—1@2c higher. Sales in store: No. 2, 25.000 bu, 81@82c. Free on board: No. 2, 82c; No. 4, 72c.

BARLEY—2c up. Sales free on board: Screenings, 56@62c; barley, 78c@1.06. To arrive, 40,000 bu, 86c@1.06.

HOG PRODUCTS—Strong and higher. Cash lots: Mess pork, $13.10@13.12½; lard, $8.07½; short ribs, $6.75@7.25, according to weight.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $22.50@23.00; extra mess beef, $10.50@11.00; plate beef, $11.50@12.00; extra plate beef, $12.50@13.00. Tallow, steady at 5¾@6¼c for edible, 5¾@6¼c for prime packers, 5¼@5¾c for No. 1 do, and 4½@4¾c for No. 2 do; 5@5½c for No. 1 renderers, 5½@5¾c for choice country, 4¾@4¾c for No. 2 do. Oleostearine in fair demand and quotably steady at 7½@7¾c.

GREASE—Steady at 4@4½c for brown, 4½@4½c for yellow, 4¾@4¾c for house, 5@5¼c for B white, 5¼@5½c for A white, and 6⅝@6¾c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Steady. Ash pork brls, wood bound, $1.07½@1.15; oak pork brls, wood bound, $1.30@1.32½; lard tcs, $1.87½@1.90 for wood bound.

WHISKY—Steady on a basis of $1.35 for finished goods.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, single brls, 41c; 5 brl lots, 40c; boiled, single brls, 42c; 5 brl lots, 41c.

HAY—Slow. Receipts, 1,001 tons; shipments, 95 tons. Choice timothy hay, $15.00@16.00; No. 1 timothy, $13.00@14.00; No. 2 timothy and No. 1 mixed, $11.00@12.00; No. 3 timothy and No. 2 mixed, $9.00@10.50. Kansas and Indian Territory prairie—Choice, $11.50@12.00; No. 1, $10.00@11.00; and No. 2, $9.50@10.00. Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, and Dakota prairie—Choice, $10.00@10.50; No. 1, $8.50@9.50; lower grades, $8.00@8.50.

STRAW—Rye, $7.50@8.00; wheat, $6.00@6.50; oats, $6.50@7.00.

EGGS HAVE RISE OF TWO CENTS.

A sharp demand for eggs developed yesterday and prices at the close were 2c higher than on Saturday. The keenest inquiry was for strictly fresh eggs, but all grades sold fairly well. Receipts are light compared to a year ago, and dealers have no trouble in disposing of all their holdings. Storage eggs are selling freely. Butter was in fair request, but there was no change in prices. More liberal supplies of potatoes, with a tame demand, resulted in a 2c decline. Dressed turkeys were 1c lower.

VEGETABLES.

Beets, sacks	75@85c	Sweet potatoes, per brl	$3.25@4.25
Carrots, sacks	35@50c	Peppers, per crate	$2.25@2.50
Cabbage, per ton	$8.00@10.00	Turnips, sack	40@60c
Cauliflower, per crate	$1.50@2.25	Squash, brl	$2.25
Tomatoes, per crate	$1.00@2.50	String beans, boxes	$1.25@2.00
Celery, crate	$2.50@3.50	Pea beans	$2.12@2.15
Cucumbers, bu	60@80c	Lima beans, Cal., 100 lbs	$5.60@5.62½
Egg plant, crate	$2.00	Tomatoes, 6-basket crate	$1.00@2.00
Lettuce, brl	$2.50		
Do leaf, cases	20@22½c		
Onions, bu	45@60c		
Potatoes, bu	45@60c		

FRUIT.

Cranberries, per brl	$5.00@7.50	Lemons, box	$1.50@2.50
Apples, brl	$2.00@4.50	Oranges, box	$1.75@4.00
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50@1.75	Pineapples, per crate	$3.25
Grapes, 8 lb bskt	16@25c	Pears, bu	75c
		Strawberries, qt	30@35c

POULTRY.

Chickens, fowls	10¼c	doz	$5.00@7.00
Do spring, lb	9c	Dressed geese	9@9½c
Turkeys	11c	Do turkeys	13@14c
Ducks	10c	Do ducks	10@11c
Live geese, per		Do chickens	7@10½c

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, prime firsts	26c	Creameries, extras	29c
Do firsts	24c	Packing stock	17c
Do ordinary firsts	21@22c	Firsts	24@26c
Do dirties	11@14c	Seconds	20@21c
Do extras, 30 per cent fresh	28c	Cheese, twins	11½c
Butter, dairies	27c	Do daisies	11@12c
Cooley's	25c	Do limburger	14½c
		Do Swiss, block	13c

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Butter was quoted at 29½c and firm on the board of trade today, an advance of ½c from a week ago. The total output of this district for the week was 594,100 lbs. Sales, none.

Quotations on Hides.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The hide market is steady, with no change in quotations.

SAVINGS ACCOUNTS OPENED ON OR BEFORE THE

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THE regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Akron Mining, Milling and Manufacturing Company will be held in Room 818, the Railway Exchange Building, No. 9 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois, at 10:00 A. M. Tuesday, February 4th, 1908, for the election of directors and such other business as may properly come before it.

M. C. ROBINSON, President.

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

Exporters are experiencing more difficulty in buying wheat in the southwest, owing to the increased demand from the mills in that section. A local exporting house, which has been bidding the southwest for several weeks and buying considerable wheat, reports that millers are paying 3c higher than the shipping basis for the wheat. Advices to this firm indicated the movement of winter wheat was practically over, as the milling concerns would need all of the remaining wheat, and were willing to pay any price in order to retain the wheat in their territory. The local demand for wheat is slow in developing, although this is the cheapest market in the country, relatively. Millers who were starting to buy freely when wheat was around $1.00, have practically entirely withdrawn from the market. Flour dealers generally are reporting trade tame, and buying is on a hand to mouth basis. No. 1 northern wheat at Minneapolis was quoted May price to ½c over, with a fair demand. Stocks, however, increased 75,000 bu for two days. Low grade wheat at Winnipeg has advanced 6c in a week, and a good demand exists for all offerings. St. Louis cash wheat was dull and ½c lower, while Kansas City quoted No. 2 hard higher. New York reported a fair inquiry for wheat and rye. Twenty loads of Manitoba wheat were worked late Saturday. Local sales were 35,000 bu wheat and 25,000 bu rye. The seaboard reported sales of 172,000 bu and 144,000 bu rye.

"We look for a continued expansion in the speculative trade in provisions because the market has merit, action, and no manipulation," said W. P. Anderson & Co. "We look for a continuance of increased consumption at home and abroad. Prices are reasonable, product is good, and packers have to keep it moving, and can well afford to; and it will be time enough to sell product or not own it when these conditions show signs of changing. The packers have big contracts for future deliveries of hams, shoulders, and lard, as well as side meats, on their books for spring and summer deliveries. Besides, on every reaction foreign trade is good, and will be at moderate prices, and these certainly are moderate. The lard trade is in splendid condition at home and abroad; no excessive stocks anywhere, a good hand to mouth consumptive trade, and a fair profit from manufacturer to consumer, and price reasonable, ideal conditions for a good market. Rib trade in the south is getting better every day."

The board's returns made the visible supply of wheat increase 1,820,000 bu, which was a big surprise to the bulls, who were looking for a small decrease, but later private advices from Buffalo and New York indicated a mistake had been made in the Buffalo figures. Buffalo stocks were reported to have increased 287,000 bu, but a later message said the stocks should have decreased 312,000 bu, which would have made the net increase about 1,220,000 bu. Northwest points all showed liberal gains, while the seaboard points decreased less than expected. Corn supplies increased 994,000 bu and oats decreased 864,000 bu. Rye stocks increased 10,000 bu and barley 325,000 bu. Comparative visible stocks follow:

	Last week. bu.	Prev. week. bu.	Last year. bu.
Wheat	48,481,000	46,661,000	46,758,000
Corn	4,482,000	3,488,000	5,823,000
Oats	8,450,000	7,586,000	12,865,000
Rye	1,005,000	1,005,000	1,688,000
Barley	6,166,000	6,570,000	2,288,000

"The northwest has been furnishing us with considerable bull news of late, and I think that is the territory where the bulls will get their main support, but at present it looks to me as if some of the 'dope' writers are running a little ahead of their ticket; for instance, Saturday their stocks increased 40,000 bu, and at the same time they wired that millers were scrambling for wheat," said Ed McQuisten of Logan-Bryan. "Stocks of wheat in store at Minneapolis and Duluth are about 3,000,000 bu more than they were for the same period a year ago, and, notwithstanding our crop of wheat is 100,000,000 bu less than for the previous year, the visible supply shows about 2,000,000 bu more than it was on Jan. 1, 1907. While the bulls may be in the right, I believe the facts are certainly in favor of the bears, as May wheat is about 33c a bu higher than it was a year ago. It looks to us as if the prices had fully offset about all the bullish news."

There was considerable quiet selling of long wheat yesterday by some of the smaller houses and local longs. The Bartlett house sold a little on the advance, but its sales were not heavy. John Scott, a broker, sold 500,000 bu, and there was selling by Rankin, Gifford, and other pit professionals. Updike and Shearson-Hammill were on the selling side. Clement-Curtis, Love, Miner, Barrell, Hulburd-Warren, and Logan-Bryan were moderate buyers. Bartlett-Frazier and Marfield were the big buyers of corn. Lake, Comstock, Knight-McDougal, and Pringle-Fitch-Rankin were the leading sellers. Wrenn and Armour sold old May oats. Armour was credited with buying about 5,000 tcs lard, and there was heavy buying of pork and other product by outside investors, W. P. Anderson & Co. buying 5,000 brls pork.

A leading elevator concern operating in the northern part of the corn belt and having more than 100 stations, received but 2,300 bu on Saturday. Other concerns also reported light receipts, but farmers were inclined to sell at this level and receipts, especially from this state, are expected to increase. The cash market was steady to ½c lower, with moderate sales. Receipts were light. Oats were unchanged to ½c better, with a better inquiry from the east. A moderate export demand existed and sales were light. Local sales were 100,000 bu corn and 100,000 bu oats. The seaboard reported sales of 120,000 bu.

World's wheat shipments, with comparisons, follow:

WHEAT.

	Last week.	Prev. week.	Last year.
American	5,176,000	6,496,000	5,569,000
Russian	400,000	552,000	2,048,000
Danubian	472,000	552,000	1,560,000
India	...	...	288,000
Argentine	400,000	320,000	880,000
Australian	304,000	496,000	800,000
Austria-Hungary	...	...	180,000
Chile-N. Africa	184,000	200,000	208,000
Total	7,936,000	9,608,000	9,812,000

CORN.

American	1,072,000	1,072,000	1,560,000
Russian	262,000	65,000	600,000
Danubian	975,000	899,000	730,000
Argentine	545,000	894,000	1,424,000
Total	2,994,000	2,634,000	4,314,000

Stocks of contract wheat in local public elevators increased 39,063 bu last week, the first gain in local supplies in several weeks. Contract corn stocks increased 57,980 bu and oats gained 146,278 bu. Comparative contract stocks follow:

Wheat—	Jan. 4.	Dec. 28.	Jan. 5, '07.
No. 1 hard	3,218	3,218	121,456
No. 2 hard	626,403	622,627	394,594
No. 1 red	6,531	6,531	1,007,402
No. 2 red	5,023,323	4,986,095	3,552,212
No. 1 northern	...	2,001	43,950
Totals	5,659,535	5,620,472	9,719,714
Corn	302,281	244,281	280,179
Oats	422,408	276,130	1,040,882

A leading Bloomington grain concern reports that not 5 per cent of the corn has moved from farmers' hands north of Bloomington, and there is sure to be a heavy movement, as farmers have many obligations maturing March 1. The slow movement to date is said to be the result of poor condition of corn and bad roads.

Total stocks of provisions at Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph, and Milwaukee at the close of business Dec. 31, 1907, as reported to the board of trade, were 180,762,709 lbs of cut meats, against 165,025,035 lbs a year ago. Pork supplies were 50,862 brls, against 66,368 brls last year, and lard 32,111 tcs, against 65,808 tcs a year ago.

A significant feature in the cash corn trade yesterday was a message from Kansas City asking a local shipping house for prices on yellow ear corn for shipment to the southwestern city via the Great Western.

Provision exports last week, with comparisons, were:

	Last week.	Last year.
Pork, brls	4,470	2,460
Lard, lbs	7,725,000	10,802,000
Meats, lbs	17,214	21,188

The death of M. J. Buxbaum was announced on change yesterday. Mr. Buxbaum was formerly connected with the grain commission trade. He had been in ill health for a number of years.

Estimated receipts for today were: Wheat, 51 cars; corn, 304 cars; oats, 244 cars; rye, 2 cars; barley, 40 cars; hogs, 32,000 head.

The entire grain crop of Norway was reported a failure as a result of the protracted rains in the summer and fall.

Total wheat stocks at Fort William and Port Arthur are 6,395,496 bu, against 2,610,501 bu a year ago.

Supplies of wheat on passage decreased 144,000 bu last week. Corn supplies increased 666,000 bu.

Liverpool wheat stocks increased 24,000 bu for the week, and corn decreased 57,000 bu.

Winnipeg had 190 cars of wheat for two days, against 56 cars for one day last year.

Deliveries on January contracts were 1,250 brls pork and 150,000 lbs short ribs.

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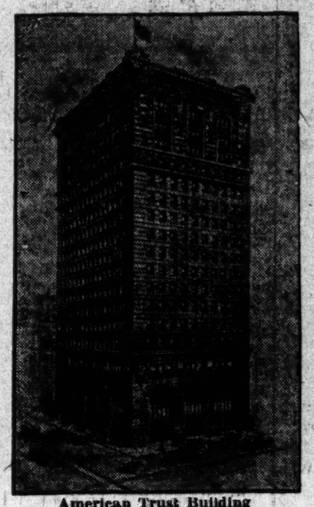

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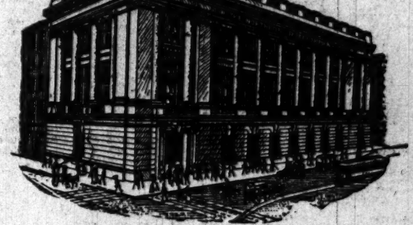

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Unless Defendant Takes Stand Case May Go to Jury at End of the Week.

John R. Walsh heard himself praised yesterday. His old friends took the witness stand in Judge Anderson's court and swore that the man on trial for his liberty was a great banker and an honest man and as such was known to the community. Among the men who testified to the excellences of the former president of the Chicago National bank were Mayor Busse, former Mayor John P. Hopkins, Orrin N. Carter, member of the Supreme court of Illinois; Ferdinand W. Peck, president of the world's Columbian exposition; and Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing company.

The only time the trial was stirred into action during the day was when Judge Anderson held a tilt with Attorney William J. Hynes, one of the counsel for Walsh. The motion to exclude the admission of John N. Faithorn that he had been indicted and convicted in connection with the Chicago and Alton rebate case also brought a heated argument.

The indications are that the case will go to the jury by the end of this week unless Walsh himself is put upon the stand. His examination and cross examination will take a day or two longer. His attorneys will not say positively whether he will be asked to defend himself or not.

Court and Attorney Hynes Clash.

The trouble with Attorney Hynes came during the examination of James J. McCarthy, president of the Chicago-Cleveland Car Roofing company. Mr. McCarthy was put on as one of the character witnesses. He said he had known Mr. Walsh for fifty years and that the reputation of the defendant was good.

"Do you know the character and reputation of the defendant since the suspension of the bank?" asked Attorney Hynes.

"I have ruled on that point often enough and I don't want to rule again," said Judge Anderson. "You are permitted to ask this question only with a time limit."

"But, your honor," said Mr. Hynes.

"Sit down, Mr. Hynes," said the court.

"What is that, your honor?"

"I said sit down and sit down immediately," came in sharp tones from the bench.

"I thank you, your honor," said Mr. Hynes, resuming his seat.

"If this question is raised again I will treat it as contempt of court," said the judge.

"But your honor——" said Mr. Hynes, rising again.

"I don't want to hear anything more, Mr. Hynes," said the judge. "You sit down or I'll take measures to make you."

Character Witnesses Heard.

Roger Sullivan, president of the Ogden Gas company; John S. Field, president of the Knickerbocker Ice company; F. D. Meacham of the board of review and president of the new organization of the Chicago National bank; John J. Murphy, a banker of Woodstock, and Edward L. Woolford of Linton, Ind., testified to the character of Mr. Walsh. They said it was the best.

Attorney E. C. Ritsher read from the record of the directors' meeting of the Equitable Trust company showing that that institution purchased stock and bought lands of the Southern Indiana Coal company in order to conserve original loans to the company.

Brings Up Faithorn Examination.

Attorney John S. Miller then moved to strike out questions and answers in the Faithorn examination on Friday referring to the rebate case. He introduced the record in the case to show that its nature was not such as to cast any discredit upon Mr. Faithorn, even though he was indicted, convicted, and fined.

"This is a crime, is it not?" asked the court.

"Violation of the Elkins law is a crime," admitted Mr. Miller.

"And this man was convicted and fined for a crime?"

"Yes."

"But there is a difference in crime. This was not a heinous crime, and does not reflect on the testimony of the witness," said Mr. Hynes.

Arguments on the question of when is a crime not a crime were then started and continued for most of the afternoon. Other evidence concerning the richness of the lands through which the Walsh railroads ran was introduced.

LADLE UPSET; LABORER HURT.

Molten Metal Falls on Workman as He Flees from Fiery Shower in Steel Plant.

One man was seriously injured and a damage of $10,000 was done to valuable machinery in the open hearth department of the Illinois Steel company's plant at Eighty-eighth street early yesterday morning. A ladle of molten metal overturned and set fire to woodwork.

The thirty-one laborers in the building made a rush to escape, but one of the men, whose name the company officials refused to reveal, was injured. He was taken to the company's private hospital.

At an inquest over the bodies of Albert J. Sagert and Andrew Bonitski, who were asphyxiated Sunday night in the open hearth plant, an open verdict was returned. They met death when trying to repair a leaky gas pipe.

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